





# MANY LONDON PAPERS APPROVE RUSSIAN DECISION

Daily News, Chronicle, Herald and Express Think the Way to Peace With Soviet Is Open.

## APOSTACY AND SHAME, VIEW OF THE TIMES

Allies Favor Encouraging Commerce Between Russia and Rest of Europe; Advise Against War.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Feb. 25.—The Supreme Council has arrived at an important decision, that of encouraging commerce between Russia and the remainder of Europe, but declines to renew diplomatic relations with the Soviet Government until it has adopted what is termed a civilized method of government.

In its essence this decision merely reaffirms the council's resolution, adopted in Paris Jan. 18, in favor of trading with the co-operative societies in Russia, but, whereas, at that time, the decision was received with surprise, almost incredulity, and led to warm attacks on Premier Lloyd George as the presumed author of the change toward the Bolsheviks, it now is accepted as a quite natural development.

Yesterday's decision goes further than the previous one, in a virtual recommendation that the border states cease fighting Soviet Russia. The whole tone of the communication, while apparently excluding any present possibility of political relations with the Soviet, shows a much more conciliatory spirit than anything that has preceded it.

Hope Now for a Solution. The known desire, both of David Lloyd George, the British Premier, and Signor Nitti, the Italian Premier, for a renewal of relations with Soviet Russia, and the persistent rumors of tentative peace negotiations at Copenhagen have given hope in some quarters that there will be a solution of the problem on the lines previously advocated, mainly by the labor parties of the allied nations.

The council today will resume its consideration of the "Sydney" and "Tangier" questions, while for tomorrow experts in trade and finance of various countries have been summoned to take part in deliberations on high prices and the exchange situation.

The Associated Press learns that Premier Nitti probably will resume his negotiations with M. Trumbitch, Foreign Minister of Yugoslavia, with a view to arriving at a solution of the Adriatic question.

Views of British Press. An announcement of the allied policy towards Russia has evoked mixed comment from the London press. The Times, which is a strong opponent of Bolshevism, accuses Premier Lloyd George with having, for more than a year, "sought for his own purposes to throw weak, ignorant and reluctant Europe into the venal arms of her Bolshevik seducer."

It says the council's announcement is an indication of the progress which Lloyd George considers now he has made towards his goal. The next step is to compromise Europe beyond recall.

"As the development of the Premier's Soviet intrigue shows," the Times continues, "that and the patient perseverance are the true instruments by which to decoy the unsuspecting to apostasy and shame."

The Daily News says the new policy bears all the marks of a compromise, having manifestly emerged from a conflict of views, but that the balance on the good side unquestionably predominates.

The Chronicle, which has lately advocated peace with the Bolsheviks, says yesterday's decision embodies a big step forward, but is masked under evasive expressions.

# EPIDEMICS TAKING TOLL OF 3000 A DAY IN PETROGRAD

Bodies Hauled Away and Left in Snow as Deaths Exceed Output of Coffins—Typhus, Cholera and Influenza Raging.

By the Associated Press. HILSINGFORS, Finland, Feb. 25.—Reports of serious living conditions at Petrograd have been received by Prof. Herman Zeldier of Viborg, showing that typhus, cholera and influenza are taking a heavy toll of the depleted population. Zeldier will have charge of the Russian Red Cross relief work at Petrograd when Russia is opened again to the outside world.

The reports state that, up to Jan. 15, deaths in Petrograd were reaching a total of 3000 a day. The coffin factories could turn out only 1000 coffins daily and most of the bodies were being carried into the country on sleds and left in the snow. Many bodies were being dropped through the ice in the River Neva.

"300 Typhus Cases Daily." "A month ago the number of typhus cases was 300 a day and steadily increasing," the report says. "Hospital conditions are indescribably bad. There is no linen for the beds, no medicines, no soaps and no disinfectants, the last supply of which has been given out Jan. 1, when 35 disinfecting stations were closed."

"The people have given up hope

# WILSON'S ANSWER ON ADRIATIC GIVEN TO ALLIED COUNCIL

Premiers Receive Position of America on Disposal of Territory Without Participation by United States.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Feb. 25.—President Wilson's reply to the allied note on the Adriatic situation reached London today and was delivered to the allied supreme council.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Arrival in London today of President Wilson's reply to the Entente Premiers' note on the Adriatic question will furnish the European chancelleries with the unequivocal statement of this country's position as to the forming of agreements for disposal of territory without the participation of the United States.

President Wilson has refused, according to well informed circles, to agree to the settlement offered to Yugoslavia as an ultimatum, but he has not insisted on giving out precisely the Adriatic settlement reached Dec. 9 with the consent of the United States. Seizure of Plume by D'Annunzio and other subsequent events were said to have made requisite changes in that plan.

Acting Secretary Polk is endeavoring to arrange for the simultaneous publication of the correspondence on both sides of the Atlantic. It is believed now that the notes will be made public in Washington soon after the President's reply is delivered at London and Paris.

## BAINBRIDGE COLBY, FORMER PROGRESSIVE, SUCCEEDS LANSING

Continued From Page One. There was a very concerted effort to consider what should be done with Colby was a lifelong Republican until the famous Bull Moose bolt at the Chicago convention in 1912. He had been actively identified with the Republican nomination for President that year and was in charge of the campaign.

Helped Organize New Party. When Col. Roosevelt bolted the convention Colby helped to found the Progressive party and was a delegate to its Chicago convention in 1912. He continued an active leader in the party and, in 1914, and again in 1916, he was elected to Congress as a Progressive.

Colby was born at St. Louis 51 years ago, where he was a member of the class of 1887 in Central High School, and was graduated from Williams College, Massachusetts. He spent one year at the Columbia Law School, and has practiced law in New York since 1892. He was a member of the New York Assembly in 1901-02.

Colby represented Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) in the settlement of the affairs of his publishing house, and he was later one of the counsel which brought about the Equitable life settlement. He also had professional part in the Northern Securities investigation. He was married in 1895 to Nathalie Sedgwick of Stockbridge, Mass.

Colby Spoke Here Last April for the League of Nations. Bainbridge Colby spoke in the Odeon April 5 last in behalf of the league of nations covenant, and in opposition to the course of Senator Root. He made a number of similar addresses in other cities.

Colby is a brother-in-law of Augustus Thomas, the playwright, who is also a native of this city. Thomas married Miss Isabel Colby in 1890. Miss Colby appeared in some of Thomas' dramatic sketches here and won much praise for the skill and grace she carried into her stage work.

## HOMICIDE VERDICT HOLDS FARMER IN DEATH OF BOY

Continued From Page One. at noon, having made part of the trip from Montgomery City in an automobile and part of it in a buggy. Mrs. Meyer's husband was visiting his neighbors trying to get bond. While he was on this errand, accompanied by the Sheriff, a Post-Dispatch reporter arrived, having driven from Rhineland. Mrs. Meyer, in telling of the boy's death, declared that Meyer had said that if the boy was he would kill him.

On the way to Montgomery City Meyer said that if he had the choice of going to jail for a year or keeping the boy five years he would go to jail, and added that if Raymond had been his boy he would have wrung his head off.

Meyer, however, expressed surprise and sorrow when told that the boy was dead. He said Raymond was "kind of sickly," but he had no idea it was serious.

Testimony as to Food. The boy, he said, was given the same food as any had on their place. "About all we have," he said, "is beans and sauer kraut, coffee, bread and jelly. We have no milk, butter or eggs. Sometimes I kill a hog and we have pork for a while."

# Trotsky Tells Why Reds Want Peace at Once

Continued From Page One. differ little from the civilian costume in Russia. Over his head was pinned a miniature red flag in enamel. The flag badge, I learned, is the distinguishing mark of the Central Executive Committee.

There was, as far as I could see, only one map on the walls—a short piece of the railroad system. On the desk of course, but that they must first consult their respective Governments by telegraph. That was two years ago, and I am still waiting reply to the telegrams they sent. They said they would like to say yes, of course, but that they must first consult their respective Governments by telegraph.

Trotsky's personality altogether lacks that impersonal reserve and aloof precision which one is prone to attribute to military chiefs. His bristling crop of thick black hair, the almost feverish intensity of his gaze sharply focused by the eyeglasses he wears, his fiercely abrupt gestures, the orator's inflection in his voice—all these bespeak the militant of class strike, the discipline of revolution, never the cool-headed architect of the most sensational war machine humanity has ever beheld.

Trotsky, the pacifist, the rabid adversary of militarism, all the head of 3,000,000 trained troops, baffles one's imagination. It is easy to picture Napoleon conducting a kindergarten. And yet if half of all one hears in Moscow and at the front about his ability as Generalissimo he is not at all surprised. One newspaper reporter must be one of the greatest soldiers in the history of man.

Blinded by Military Successes. One caught hints of it in his talk when military matters were under discussion. But quite evidently he preferred to dwell upon aspects of the international situation and the good that peace would bring to the Russian toilers rather than upon the battlefields of the Ukraine and Siberia. My first question, after we had arranged that French, which Trotsky speaks more fluently than English, should be the language of the interview, concerned the Russian state to have commercial dealings with Soviet Russia than it was for democratic America to trade with Czaristic Russia.

"We require peace," he went on, "for the realization of our economic rehabilitation. During these 18 months in which all the powers of the imperialistic capitalism the world over could bring to bear against us were striving to encourage our destruction we have had to concentrate all our efforts on military measures. We have had to sacrifice the welfare of our people and the health of future generations to the desperate needs of the hour. To tear from our throats the very life seeking to strangle us, we were forced to transform a peace-loving population of workers and peasants into an armed camp in those 18 months. By dint of stupendous effort we have organized a really strong army, and with it we have beaten off every attempt which the criminals of the Entente and Czarism have made to murder this revolution."

"No other state in the world could have done what Russia, bankrupt, bleeding and starved as she was by four years of imperialistic massacres, has done in the past two years. In France, in England, even in America, the peoples were sick of slaughter that their capitalists had engineered. Hopeless of better things to come, they had refused to follow their rulers further along the bloody road to ruin. Ask Clemens, ask Lloyd George, whose armies they can get together an army today of the strength and spirit of ours."

Says Entente Is Hopeless. "They cannot do it because the workers of their countries have been forced to realize, day by day, that the villainous tasks to which the soldiers of bourgeois Governments are put. Powerless to further conscript their own subjects, the Entente and America have had to rely on Czarist reactionaries and helpless nations to wage war against us. The defeats our proletarian fighting men have inflicted on their mercenary antagonists, however, are bound to have a salutary effect. Already the Balkan states are conferring with our emissaries with a view to peace. Peace is merely a matter of time, and I repeat that whichever nation is first to resume friendly relations with Russia will be the first to reap the commercial harvest soon as a step."

Trotsky eased speaking with his characteristic abruptness, drummed

# POISONOUS OLIVES SOLD IN ST. LOUIS

Five Cases Distributed From Pack of "Sylmar Brand," Said to Have Been Affected.

It has been discovered that five cases of glass jars of stuffed olives, said to contain the deadly botulinus organism, have been distributed to retail dealers by a St. Louis wholesale grocery house.

The investigation is in charge of W. R. M. Wharton, chief inspector of the St. Louis Food and Drug Inspection Bureau of the Department of Agriculture.

The inspectors traced one pack of the brand of olives known as Sylmar, some specimens of which had been found to contain the organism. It was then discovered that, besides some shipments to Illinois points, the five cases had been sent to St. Louis.

No blame for the condition of the olives attaches to the packing firm, the inspectors have announced in other cases.

In view of the possibility that some bottles of the olives might have been sold to restaurant keepers or to householders, the inspectors will endeavor to trace and recover any such bottles.

Wharton announced that green olives, as well as the stuffed variety, so far as tested, show no traces of this organism, and are safe.

He said the botulinus organism was first discovered in 1898, and that it is due to the process of decomposition which takes place in the ripening of olives. He described the effects of the poison as being much the same as those of ptomaine poisoning, saying that the bacteria contained produced a toxin which in turn caused illness and often death. Several deaths from this cause have occurred in Memphis and Detroit recently.

Asked if any warning would be issued by the Government against the use of ripe olives, he replied that this would be unfair, as the olive trade was a large one and that many of the brands sold were free from any trace of toxins. He added, however, that the inspectors were warning the trade to be on their guard for the time being. It would be hard to sell a single jar of ripe olives now. We feel that the packers, wholesalers and retailers are blameless in this matter, and for that reason no names will be made public."

## MARY ANN SIFFRAAF ADVICE 'NOT NEEDED' IN WEST VIRGINIA

Ratification of Later State Decisions. Legislature Is Compelled to Handle Question Alone. By the Associated Press. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 25.—The West Virginia Legislature is "perfectly qualified and competent" to deal with the woman suffrage question without the advice of the Maryland Legislature, according to a statement issued today by National Amendment Ratification headquarters, after the leaders had taken a night to consider the news that a delegation of Maryland legislators had come here to fight the amendment.

Look up the special committee of the House of Representatives and you will see how ineligible for the ship if Mr. Wilson is elected. Mr. Wilson's personal relations in the pre-convention of 1912 than that of Mr. Williams, yet he was elected to the Presidency by a majority of one vote.

Admirer of the President. The selection of Mr. Wilson as President means no sudden change in the White House. Mr. Wilson is a man of the same type as Mr. Colby. He regards the true progressive as a man who is not afraid to build a new world on the ruins of the old. He is a man who is not afraid to govern himself and his country.

He was urged for his own sake to resign when Mr. Wilson was elected to the Presidency. Mr. Colby will find following out the international relations of the United States a task of no small importance. He is wedded to theories of international relations that are not only old-fashioned but also are based on the principles of the 19th century. He is a man who is not afraid to govern himself and his country.

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# COLBY LIBERALLY IN INTERVIEW

New Secretary Considered as Sifted to Hand, Projects as Roosevelt.

## HAS NOT FEAR ALL WILSON

President's Choice in Washington, Location of Law, Financial.

By DAVID L. A Special Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Bainbridge Colby, Secretary of the Navy, is not surprised, but it is not surprising that Mr. Colby is in Washington, in the location of the law, financial.

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## EX-SERVICE MEN HEAR THE CALL OF THE OLD LIFE

Former Soldiers and Sailors Find Civil Life Too Tame. They Are Joining the Marine Corps. Combines the Desirable Features of Both Army and Navy.

If trouble starts over the border, if a Haitian reb wants a scrap, should any one start a disorder, Where Uncle Sam's boasting the map— If had little bandits or pirates, Inset upon pulling big scenes, Don't worry or fret or get in a sweat, Just call up and tell the Marines.

Just tell the Marines, just tell the Marines, They'll get on the job in their scrapping jeans; Ask 'em for trouble, and trouble For you gets, For they've got sharp points on their bayonets. They land on their feet and they've got nine lives, And they pack a punch in their forty-fives.

"Two battalions of Marines for immediate service in Haiti," Not long ago that call went out from the U. S. Marine Recruiting Bureau. Within ten days those two battalions were recruited, equipped and ready to shove off. And every man in those outfits was a former soldier, sailor or Marine. They found civil life too tame. The "service" was in their blood, and they could not get it out. Strange? Not a bit of it. Ask any one of "Jack" Pershing's gang. Ask any ex-man-o-war's man. Oh, yes, we all growled at

for the Marine Corps were promoted from the ranks. These officers, by their efficiency and valor, have so amply demonstrated the wisdom of developing the officer material among the enlisted men, that the system has been adopted as a permanent feature of the service. Any man who has the makings of an officer in him stands an excellent chance of rising rapidly through the non-commissioned grades of corporal and sergeant and "graduating" into a second lieutenant. After that he has the same opportunity of attaining still higher rank as any graduate of the Naval Academy.

In addition, some Marines are selected each year to take the four-year course at Annapolis, upon completion of which they are immediately commissioned second lieutenants of Marines or ensigns in the Navy.

When we remember that there is one non-commissioned officer to every seven men no one who is of average ability and applies himself can expect to remain a private for very long.

**The Marine at Work and Play**

Many people have the idea that the service is a life of hard work, long hours and harsh discipline. Nothing was ever further from the truth.

There is work to be done in the Marine Corps. But it is good, healthful, outdoor work. There are short, snappy drills that make a man alert and "on the job" in mind and body. There are setting-up exercises that take inches off a man's waistline and put them on his chest. There are shooting on the rifle range—every Marine is trained to be a crack shot; there's work with wireless telegraphy and something of seamanship. It's work, but it's the sort of work men like.

There must be discipline, just as there must be laws in a community or rules in an office or factory. But the Marine discipline is of a sort that no reasonable man would object to.

Life is not all work for the Marine. There are baseball, football, boxing and swimming for the devotees of these sports. No post is without its pool tables. There is fishing and hunting. For Marines, in their travels, go where game, big and little, is plentiful and game laws are few.

Men not on guard may, as a rule, leave their station after 2 or 3 o'clock in the afternoon and may remain away until reveille (4 or 5 o'clock) the following morning. Whenever a man may be conveniently spared, his commanding officer has authority to grant him a ten-day furlough, plus the time required to travel to and return from his home town.

The Marine Corps desires to give young men from all parts of the country an opportunity of earning in the service for two, three or four years. The local recruiting office has some vacancies in its quota for recruits going to sea. It may be that you are the sort of man they are looking for. Don't hesitate to call and talk things over. It will put you under no obligation. You will not be urged to enlist. But you CAN learn the truth about the Marine Corps from men who know the life and like it well enough to stay in. Send for booklet.

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Bringing in Haitian Bad Men

reveille and swore to murder the bugler. We all "grounded" at the show and wheeled our bayonets for the cooks. Oh, yes, full packs rubbed the skin off our shoulders. But— Remember those days when we were fit as fiddles, could eat the hind leg off a table and enjoy it, could lick our weight in wildcats and weren't afraid to say so? And remember the buddies who bunked with us, hiked with us, scrapped with us, took all our money, hummed our tobacco, called us bad names and—would give us the shirts off their backs if we asked 'em? Somehow civil life doesn't often give us friends like that. The man who has never done a hitch in the service has missed a lot. Isn't that so?

And for any man who is looking for service—all sorts, kinds, conditions and varieties of service—the Marine Corps is the one best bet. The Marine is "soldier and sailor, too." When the big ships go to sea the Marines go with them. Before the Marine has a chance to get tired of sea-going he is landed at Haiti or Honolulu, China or the Philippines.

Opportunity for travel and adventure is only one of the things that the Marine Corps affords. In this branch of the service a man finds unusual facilities for physical and mental development. The Marine Corps makes an ordinary man into a real "toughy."

And there are all manner of trades that may be learned in the corps. Every day ex-Marines are, immediately upon discharge, stepping into well-paid civilian jobs that range from that of aviator to that of cook. And, as every one knows, an honorable discharge from the Marine Corps is the best letter of recommendation any one man has. It is, in fact, a United States Government certificate which stamps the possessor as "inspected and passed as an honest, loyal and capable man, who has learned to use his head and his hands—and use them to the best advantage."

During the war with Germany the additional officers needed

## ERZBERGER QUILTS FACING CHARGE OF \$3,750,000 FRAUD

German Minister of Finance Resigns After State's Attorney Testifies of Financial Transactions.

### SMUGGLED FUNDS INTO SWITZERLAND

Asks for Investigation of Income Tax — Cabinet Stood by Stormy Petrel Until Forced Out, Discredited.

By the Associated Press.  
BERLIN, Feb. 25.—Mathias Erzberger tendered President Ebert his resignation as Minister of Finance last night, basing his action upon a desire to have the investigation of his alleged falsified tax returns proceed without prejudice or consideration for his official position. While the official announcement assigns this as a reason, the Minister's retirement and its alleged motive were completely eclipsed by the character of evidence which Dr. Karl Helfferich, former Vice Chancellor, succeeded in piling up against Herr Erzberger during the last two days of the latter's libel suit against him.

Twenty years ago a rural schoolmaster and since 1905 the stormy petrel of German parliamentary life, Herr Erzberger for the last 15 months has been the most conspicuous figure in Germany's post-revolutionary era. He retired from the government a thoroughly discredited man, although the Cabinet stood by him loyally until the last moment in the face of overwhelming odds against the man who had been its mainstay. The Clerical party, too, declined to "settle its favorite son" until the court's verdict had been rendered.

**Smuggled Into Italy.**

According to the testimony of State's Attorney Messerschmidt, which was given with the utmost reserve and caution, Erzberger had smuggled large amounts of his private funds to Switzerland. Previously, testimony adduced from Dr. Helfferich involved Erzberger in numerous questionable transactions in connection with the issuance of import and export permits, and other misuse of his official position in the furtherance of ventures in which Erzberger was alleged to be interested.

Unexpected evidence was produced in connection with the cross-examination of Messerschmidt, who declared that in the course of his prosecution of prominent Germans suspected of smuggling funds abroad he came across Erzberger's track. This was while investigating Michael Thalberg, a Zurich attorney, who, he testified, acted as transfer agent in financial transactions which he said he believed would amount to 15,000,000 marks (normally \$3,750,000).

Messerschmidt also testified that not only was a leading Berlin bank involved in the smuggling, but also a prominent diplomat, action against whom had to be dropped as a result of "pressure from higher up."

**Admits Acquaintance.**

The proceedings assumed a dramatic aspect when Dr. Helfferich took the examination of Herr Erzberger in his own hands and forced the Minister to admit his acquaintance with Thalberg, that the Minister's wife had been in communication with the Zurich attorney and that he had funds on deposit there. Herr Erzberger declared that money on deposit in Switzerland was for political and church use, and that large sums were used in defraying the cost of his family's sojourn in Switzerland.

"I know more than you care to admit," exclaimed Dr. Helfferich after the Minister had given this testimony.

**Designated as Menace to Purity of Public Life.**

Mathias Erzberger brought suit against Dr. Helfferich, formerly Vice-Chancellor and Minister of the Treasury, because of attacks in September in which Helfferich designated Erzberger as a "menace to the purity of our public life," and asserted that he was a dangerous member of the Government. On the witness stand Helfferich declared that years of careful observation of Erzberger's activities had convinced him that "this man is bound to become faithful to the German nation and that he must be removed from public office if our political life again is to become healthy and normal." He charged that Erzberger was "the British propaganda Minister's best ally."

Helfferich also asserted that Erzberger's fortune was made during the war by utilization of his parliamentary position, and indicated various alleged incidents where Erzberger had secretly amassed large sums as a result of his governmental position. Erzberger denied all these allegations. He asserted that he was not possessed of a large fortune, but admitted that his wife had money.

St. Louisans to Take Cruise.

A party of St. Louisans will join members of the Chicago Athletic Association on a cruise to the West Indies and into the Caribbean Sea, sailing from New Orleans tomorrow night on a United Fruit Co. steamer.



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# What stylish men will wear this spring

There's one thing pretty certain; careful buying is going to be the style this spring. Men who want to make their money go farthest are going to get good, all-wool quality; such clothes save because they last several seasons.

When it comes to the lines of the clothes you will find lower openings shown in coats and vests; lapels are lower and have square notches. The coats are longer.

The general tendency is toward the plain, single-breasted sacks; one, two and three buttons; with no fancy features. The coats will depend on designing skill for the style; that takes real art and real tailoring.

One-, two- and three-button double-breasted suits which have been so popular this last season will continue to be favored by many men; these models for spring show the new style notes.

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## \$75,000 SUIT AGAINST MILLIKEN'S ESTATE

Chemist Says Patents Resulting  
From Research Work Were  
Not Protected.

Walter O. Snelling of Pittsburgh, Pa., yesterday filed a suit in the Circuit Court here for \$75,000 against the estate of John T. Milliken, manufacturing chemist, who died Jan. 31, 1919, leaving personal property valued at \$7,000,000.

Snelling in his petition says he is a chemist who specializes in the study of petroleum and its products. He alleges that May 6, 1912, he made a contract with Milliken by which he was to devote four hours a day for at least one year and not more than two years in research work on petroleum products. Milliken was to put up \$14,000 for expenses and pay Snelling \$250 a month for his work, agreeing in addition to protect any patents which Snelling might obtain as a result of his researches. From the proceeds of such patents, the petition said, Milliken was to receive 51 per cent.

Snelling alleges that as a result of his researches he discovered valuable new processes and patented them, but the patents were attacked in court and Milliken did not live up to his agreement to furnish money to protect the patents, thus causing a loss of \$75,000 to Snelling.

A. R. Ponder, receiver for the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf Railroad yesterday filed in the Probate Court a claim against the Milliken estate for \$426,411.44. He alleged in his petition that in February, 1918, Milliken contracted to buy the road, agreeing to pay \$1,000,000 cash and to assume certain outstanding obligations of the railroad company. In his petition Ponder alleged that the obligations assumed by Milliken had not been met.

## COURT RULES OUT GOATS, BUT SKUNK SKINS' OWNER IS FREED

Belleville Trapper Acquitted of  
Charge of Maintaining Nuisance  
in Keeping Furs in Room.

John Rust, a trapper, was acquitted by a jury yesterday in Belleville at his trial on a charge of maintaining a nuisance by keeping skunk skins in his room at John Saucio's rooming house at Rentschler Station. An attempt was made to introduce testimony that Saucio kept goats in the house and that Rust employed the skunk skins as a counter irritant for the odor of the goats. This testimony was excluded. After the verdict was returned one of the jurors explained the finding by saying: "We thought Rust should have been permitted to tell about those goats."

## Prufrock & Litton

FOURTH and ST. CHARLES STREETS

### Only 27 Hours More

Of SPECIAL SERVICE to give you, who need furniture for your homes  
Before the Closing of Our February Sale



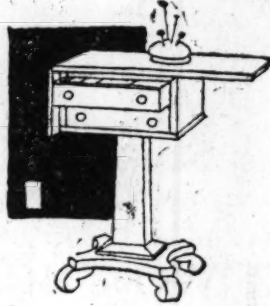
During these last three days of our February Sale some of the Furniture we have that you want—is yours at a saving of

**ONE-HALF**

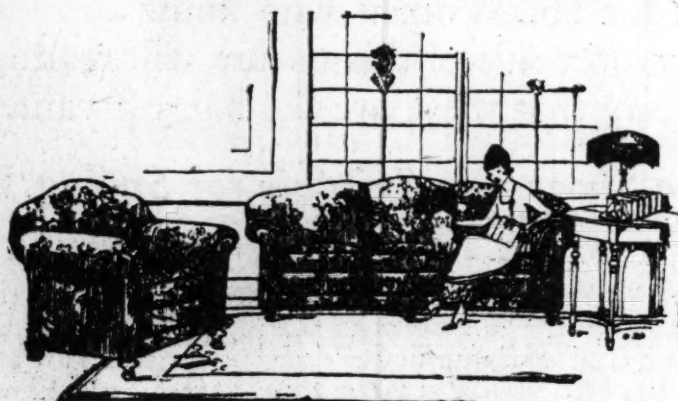
It is our custom, in the last days of these Half-Yearly Sales, to adjust stocks by marking at HALF PRICE many odd pieces that are not going to be, or cannot be, reordered.

### Included at Half Price

Suites and incomplete Suites, of which one-piece or two have been sold (not many of these). Separate chairs, tables, serving tables, divans, rockers, bureaus, chiffoniers, china closets, buffets, a great variety of small novelty furniture.



### All the Rest of the Furniture



EVERY DAY COUNTS NOW

will be at reductions of 10 to 33 per cent today and for the remaining three days of the FEBRUARY SALE.

### LIBERAL TERMS

Pay for room or entire outfit, one-fifth cash, balance in 30, 60, 90 and 120 days, or 2% discount for all cash.

Please Shop  
Carefully

**Garland's**

No Exchanges or Returns  
Permitted

A Highly Important Purchase and

## Sale of Spring Dresses

HERE is a sale that has been arranged with a definite purpose in view—that of offering at one low price a broad range of styles and sizes, a fact which, of course, multiplies the attractiveness and importance of this sale. "A Dress to satisfy your taste and at a saving"—will be the slogan of this event.

\$59.50 Taffeta Dresses

\$55.00 Georgette Dresses

\$55.00 Satin Dresses

\$49.50 Serge Dresses

\$49.50 Lace and Satin Combinations

\$35.00 Serge, Satin and

Georgette Dresses

**\$25**



Models that are fairly scintillant with novel ideas in motifs and designs. Abbreviated sleeves, bouffant hipline, tiers of plaited ruffles, entrancing beadings and quaint embroidery work, reflect the refreshingly new treatments for Spring.

Afternoon and Dinner Frocks in  
Light Georgette

Size range from 14 to 44

EXTRA SPECIAL!

We have remaining from our late Winter stocks a limited number of Misses' and Women's Dresses, priced from \$55.00 to \$79.50, that we are sacrificing tomorrow at.....

**\$25**

Dress Salons—Third Floor.

THOMAS W. GARLAND

409-11-13 Broadway

## STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

# Saving Day

Thursday in the Downstairs Store

SAVING Day will be a monthly feature in the Downstairs Store, and it will be just what its name implies, a day to effect notable savings on moderate priced, dependable merchandise. And so we say to you, that if you are looking for wonderful bargains, attend the first Saving Day, tomorrow, in the Downstairs Store, and you will be agreeably surprised. No mail or phone orders filled.

### Plaid Suitings, 98c Yard

New Spring Plaids, 42 inches wide, in beautiful color combinations, 30 different styles, in correct weight for suits, dresses and skirts. (Downstairs Store.)

### Georgette Crepe

\$1.79 Yard

All-silk Georgette, 40 inches wide, heavy weight which will give unusual wear. Light and dark shades. (Downstairs Store.)

### Silk Messaline, \$1.75 Yd.

Excellent quality Silk Messaline, 35 inches wide, in new Spring street shades. Buying limit 10 yards. (Downstairs Store.)

### Shepherd Checks, 89c Yd.

Black and white Shepherd Checks, 44 inches wide, in different sizes, correct weight for dresses and skirts. (Downstairs Store.)

### Silk Shirtings, \$1.19 Yard

Silk Canton Shirtings and Waists, 30 inches wide. Neat stripes in dependable colorings. Wonderful value. (Downstairs Store.)

### Dress Gingham, 39c Yd.

About 4000 yards of extra good quality imported Dress Gingham, bought from the Underwriters Salvage Sale. These have been wet, but nicely dried. Shown in solid colors, stripes, checks and plaids. 33 inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

### Muslins, 19c Yard

Heavy Unbleached Muslins, 36 inches wide. Offered while a lot of 1000 yards lasts. (Downstairs Store.)

### Bleached Sheets

\$1.69 Each

Good medium weight Bleached Sheets, seamless style. Sizes 72x108 and 81x90 inches. (Downstairs Store.)

### Pillowcases, 25c Each

Ready-made Bleached Pillowcases, sizes 42x36 and 45x36 in. Mill seconds. (Downstairs Store.)

### Bedspreads, \$2.25 Each

White Crochet Bedspreads, in new designs. Large size, measuring 78x88 inches. (Downstairs Store.)

### Pink Corsets, 95c

Coutil Corsets, with low bust, long skirt, embroidery trimmed, two pairs supporters. Models for slender and medium figures. Sizes 20 to 26. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Oxfords

\$3.69 Pair

Black Suede Oxfords for dress or street wear. The season's wanted styles, with high covered Louis heels. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Pumps

\$3.19 Pair

Satin Pumps, good style, with beaded buckle, light turned soles and covered heels. (Downstairs Store.)

### House Slippers, \$1.49 Pair

Women's Dull Kid House Slippers, with one or two straps. Shoes that will give service and wear. Sizes up to 8. (Downstairs Store.)

### Metal Table Lamp, \$6.95

A fancy designed Lamp, fitted with overcast metal dome shade, lined with cathedral art glass. Complete with pull chain socket and 6 feet cord and plug. Have a rich brass finish. (Downstairs Store.)

### Boys' Scout Shoes

\$2.39 Pair

Shoes that will give service, made of black or tan leather, with leather soles and heels. Sizes up to 2. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Silk Gloves

95c Pair

Women's fine quality Milanese Silk Gloves. Slightly imperfect, but nothing to impair the wearing qualities. Black and white. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Chamoisette

Gloves, 65c Pair

Women's Chamoisette Gloves. Spring weight, in black and white, self embroidered and black with white, and white with black backs. Two clasps. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Stockings

19c Pair

Cotton Stockings, in black, white and brown. Seamed back or seamless. Double spliced heels and toes. Slight seconds. (Downstairs Store.)

### Fiber Silk Stockings

39c Pair

Women's Boot Fiber Silk Stockings, with lisle garter tops, double soles and high spliced heels. Slight seconds. Three pairs, \$1.10. (Downstairs Store.)

### Dropstitch Stockings

49c Pair

Thread Silk Stockings, in pretty dropstitch styles. Semi-fashioned, with 9-inch lisle garter tops, double spliced heels, soles and toes. Slight seconds. Two pairs, 95c. (Downstairs Store.)

### Silk Stockings, \$1.35 Pair

Women's Thread Silk Stockings, samples and irregulars of the better kinds. Black, white and brown. Full fashioned and semi-fashioned. (Downstairs Store.)

### Men's Socks, 35c Pair

Fine gauge mercerized Lisle Socks, in black, white and gray. Double soles and high spliced heels. Slightly irregular. Three pairs, \$1.00. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Gowns, 95c

These are made of nainsook slipover style, trimmed with neat embroidery edge and ribbon run. (Downstairs Store.)

### Envelope Chemise, 79c

Made of nainsook. Yokes prettily trimmed with lace and embroidery insertion. Size to 44 bust measurement. (Downstairs Store.)

### Corset Covers

35c, or 3 for \$1.00

Of nainsook, yokes trimmed in various ways, with lace, embroidery, medallions and insertions. A number of styles to choose from. Sizes to 44 bust measurement. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Bloomers, 45c

Made of nainsook, in flesh color, with frill and elastic at knee and elastic at waist. (Downstairs Store.)

### Men's and Women's Umbrellas, \$1.69

Built on steel paragon frames, covered with good quality gloria cloth. Many style handles from which to make selection. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Initial Hdks.

3 for 25c

Of good quality sheer cambric and have embroidered long letter initials, in enclosed floral effects, come in both white and colors. All have hemstitched 1/4-inch hems. (Downstairs Store.)

### Men's Initial Hdks.

12 1/2c Each

These are of good quality cambric and have embroidered long letter initials, in white, tan, navy and lavender colors. Hemstitched 1/4-inch hems. (Downstairs Store.)

### Valenciennes Laces

39c Dozen Yards

Edges and Insertions in scores of attractive patterns and meshes. Widths up to 1 inch. We urge home-sewers to supply their Spring and Summer needs—for the price is below manufacturers' cost. (Downstairs Store.)

### 18-Inch Embroidery

29c Yard

Fine Swiss Embroidery, in dainty floral designs, with lacy beading tops. Suitable for corset covers. (Downstairs Store.)

### Venise Laces, 7 1/2c Yard

These dainty trimming Laces were purchased in St. Gall many months ago. Due to this fact we are able to offer them at such a price. Insertions only in white and cream. Many showy patterns to choose from. Widths up to 1 1/2 inches. (Downstairs Store.)

### Embroidered Waist

Fronts, 29c Each

Sheer Swiss Waist Fronts, with embroidered panel designs. They can easily be fashioned into a waist or an undergarment. (Downstairs Store.)

### Hand-Crochet Lace

39c Yard

Real Hand Crochet Lace Edges in circle pattern. Very appropriate for yokes, trimming bedspreads and curtains. (Downstairs Store.)

### Fur Muffs and Scarfs

\$5.95

Fox Scarfs in animal and choker effects. Coney and Manx churian Wolf Scarfs and Muffs. (Downstairs Store.)

### 500 Books, 35c Each

Books for boys and girls, including such excellent series as the Boy Scouts, Boy Spies, Boys of Columbia High, Motor Maids, Bungalow Boys, and many miscellaneous titles. (Downstairs Store.)

### Leader Brand Coffee

39c Pound

Steel cut, good grade. Put up in one-lb. packages. 500 lbs. to sell at the special price. (Downstairs Store.)

### Writing Paper, 9c Box

2000 boxes—a mill close-out of Writing Paper—boxes contain 12 sheets and 12 envelopes. (Downstairs Store.)

### Notion Specials

Basting Cotton, 250-yd. spools (limit of 6), 50c

8-yard White Twilled Tape, per roll, 10c

Women's Pad Supporters, 4-strap style, various colors, at each, 35c

Steel Safety Pins, various sizes, card, 3c

Children's Waist and Hose Supporters, assorted sizes, at each, 33c

### Misses' Union Suits

39c and 69c

Sample Union Suits, 1-lb. trimmed knee, drop seat styles. Waist Union Suits with double row of buttons. (Downstairs Store.)

### Sample Vests for Women

at 19c, 25c, 35c and 49c

Vests of every description to be had in this lot. Pink and white. Bodice styles, French band tops. Comfy styles. Net tape tops. Fancy yokes. Some of the styles in extra sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

### Infants' Sample

Underwear at 25c and 35c

Vests and bands. Cotton, lisle and part wool. (Downstairs Store.)

### Boys' Union Suits, 69c

Spring weight. Fine ribbed cotton in white and ecru. Short sleeves and knee length. Open seat style. Sizes 24 to 34. These are slight seconds. (Downstairs Store.)

### Ready-to-Wear Hats

\$2.50

An assortment of Banded Sailors, exceptionally priced and bought specially for Thursday's selling. Shiny straws, with colored facings of pineapple braids. In quite a number of different styles. All nicely trimmed with good quality grosgrain ribbon. (Downstairs Store.)

### Fancy Linens, 89c Each

Japanese Table Covers, with elaborate borders and corners of drawnwork; some have hand-embroidered centers, sizes 30 and 36 inches square. Also Battenberg Scarfs or Runners with eyelet embroidery or drawn centers. Sizes 13x45 and 13x54 inches. (Downstairs Store.)

### Smoker Stands, \$1.55

Made of highly polished wood with flower designs, stands 28 inches high, has detachable glass ash tray, with cigar rest and safety match holder. Black and mahogany finish. (Downstairs Store.)

### Smoking Tobacco

\$1.15 Pound

Velvet Smoking Tobacco, a full 16-oz. humidifier tin, always fresh. (Downstairs Store.)

### Men's Work Shirts, 98c

Blue Chambray Work Shirts, cut full and double-stitched, faced sleeves. (Downstairs Store—Main Building.)

### Men's Underwear, 79c

Undershirts and Drawers, medium weight. Government rejects. Cream color only. (Men's Downstairs Store Across the Street.)

### Men's Oxfords, \$1.50 Pair

Odds and ends. Broken sizes. Tan and black leather. Leather and Neolin soles. All good styles. (Men's Downstairs Store Across the Street.)

### Boys' Spring Suits, \$5.98

Suits in the new Spring styles, built for service, of gray, brown, light and dark mixture fabrics. The trousers are cut extra full and are full lined and taped. All sizes from 6 to 18 in the lot. (Men's Downstairs Store Across the Street.)

### Curtain Marquisette

39c Yard

Twenty-five pieces, in browns, greens, blue and rose. Splendid quality. 36 inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

### Lace Curtains, \$2.98 Pair

Filet and Nottingham Lace Curtains, in a splendid range of patterns, and excellent qualities. While a lot of 175 pairs lasts. (Downstairs Store.)

### Sunfast Madras, 59c Yard

A lot of 25 pieces of Sunfast Madras, in all the wanted colorings, including green, blue and brown. Wonderful value. (Downstairs Store.)

### Window Shades, 59c Ea.

Opaque Window Shades, in white or green, 3 feet wide and 6 feet long, complete with fixtures and nickel-plated shade ring. While a lot of 40 dozen lasts. (Downstairs Store.)

### New Cretonnes, 29c Yard

Thirty-five pieces of this season's newest Cretonnes, in beautiful designs and color combinations, for bedspreads, overdraperies, laundry bags. Remarkable value. (Downstairs Store.)

### Cork Linoleum

79c Square Yard

Burlap-Back Cork Linoleum, in a large selection of light and dark colors. (Downstairs Store.)

### Axminster Rugs, \$2.29

These are in pretty mottled effects with band border on ends. Size 27x54 inches. (Downstairs Store.)

### Congoleum Art Rugs

\$10.95

These are serviceable, sanitary Rugs for kitchens, dining rooms, etc., and are shown in patterns that are excellent reproductions of woven Rugs. All in size 9x12 feet. (Downstairs Store.)

### Axminster Rugs, \$29.85

A lot of 20 high-grade Axminster Rugs, in all over, floral and Oriental effects, suitable for living, dining rooms and bedrooms. Subject to slight shadings. (Downstairs Store.)

### Sofa Pillows



## MARTENS ADMITS ATTENDING RADICAL SOCIALIST MEETING

**Soviet Envoy Also Identifies Telegram He Sent Wishing Success to Communism in U. S.**

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Ludwig C. K. Martens, Russian Soviet envoy in this country, who told a Senate investigating committee last week that he never was in secret council or communication with revolutionary activities in the United States, was questioned today about his attendance at a meeting of the Russian Socialist Federation at Detroit last year and about messages exchanged with the federation.  
It was the activity of this and other Russian organizations in the United States which led the Department of Justice to make recently the greatest radical raid ever undertaken in this country.  
Martens admitted that he attended the Detroit meeting and identified the following telegram to the conference, which was introduced by Wade H. Ellis, counsel for the committee:  
"Comrades—I greet you and wish you success in your work, in the name of the Russian Federated Socialist Republic of Workers and Peasants."  
Wished for Success in U. S.  
Martens conceded that this meant he wished for success of communism in the United States. A reply from the convention told Martens that the Russian Socialists were "dealing with all their power to break the yoke of capital on the United States."  
The reading of a manifesto prepared at the Detroit meeting brought an impassioned protest from Martens. The manifesto said that "combining the activities of Comrade Lenin with our revolutionary activities in the United States, in the words of Lenin, will build up a strong revolutionary movement here."  
Martens said Ellis was using documents unfairly and former Senator Hardwick of Georgia, counsel for the Russian agent, joined the debate.  
"No Document Brought Unfairly."  
"Let me say one thing," interposed Chairman Moses. "There is no document in the possession of the

committee which is not properly here."  
"Was it your opinion as representative of the Soviet republic that you had a right to submit demands to this convention?" Ellis asked.  
"Yes, a demand that they do not interfere in our affairs."  
"Now, Gregory Weinstein, your Chancellor, was on trial before a Grievance Committee of the Federa-

tion, wasn't he?"  
"He was."  
"Also you wanted to call a technical convention in the United States and the Federation instead wanted

you to register locally technical persons and thereafter you dropped the plan of calling such a conference and proceeded with the registration as demanded."

### ADVERTISEMENT.

## EAT

What You Will—When You Will—Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Help Digest the Meal.

Good food in itself is harmless. The usual reason stomach troubles arise is due to faulty digestion brought about by overwork, sickness, overeating, late hours, etc.

The best way to correct faulty stomach troubles due to digestive mistakes is to do what nature wants. All that nature usually needs in such cases is a little assistance to do this work. This is why doctors tell you to diet. Nature is then compelled to aid herself. You do not then overwork her when she is already exhausted.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets go into your stomach just like food. They help digest food, and thus, when the next meal is eaten, the system is better prepared to do its work without assistance.

By following this practice many have corrected their stomach troubles, and have conquered the old "bug-bear" of indigestion.

Always take a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet after meals or just before bed time. By doing this you will be acting wisely and playing safe.

Go to your druggist anywhere and buy a box now. Price, 50 cents.

### ADVERTISEMENT.

## ALKALI IN SOAP BAD FOR THE HAIR

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulford's coconut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulford's coconut oil shampoo at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

## TABLE QUEEN

The Better BREAD



10¢  
The Loaf

"Tasty  
Brown  
Crust"

### Table Queen Firmly Enthroned

Satisfied Housewives are the best advertisers for Papendick's Table Queen Bread. They pass along the news of Table Queen quality to their friends. If you are one of the few who have never eaten this delicious bread, order a loaf from your Grocer today and you will know why it is firmly enthroned as the main item at the table of thousands who eat no other bread.

**Papendick Bakery Co.**  
Largest Independent Bakery in St. Louis  
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**DELICATESSEN RYE**

**Sonnenfeld's**  
L. ACKERMAN, Manager

Charges Placed  
on  
April Statements

Up to \$50 Values in New

## Springtime Dresses

Selected from regular stock for  
one day's special selling at

**\$3.30**

One of the season's grandest  
economy chances!

To create brisk selling in the Dress Section Thursday we shall emphatically underprice several hundred extremely desirable styles for street and afternoon wear. Thoughtful women will be here early tomorrow—such savings at the start of a season are too exceptional to be lightly regarded.

The collection embraces  
Tricotines, Serges, Taffetas, Georgettes  
& clever combinations



## Scruggs - Vandervoort - Barney NEW BASEMENT SHOPS

Charge Purchases Made the Remainder of the Month Will Appear on March Statements

Store Hours: 9 to 5:30; Saturday, 9 to 6

Olive and Locust from Ninth to Tenth

## Beginning Tomorrow in the Basement Shoe Shop Sale of 2000 Pairs Women's High Shoes

—of the brand so well known to this store. (We cannot mention the name here because of an agreement with the manufacturer.)



**TWO THOUSAND** women should be on hand when the doors open tomorrow, for the Shoes are the most remarkable values we have offered this season for \$5. Women who know the kind of Shoes usually offered in a Vandervoort sale of this nature will readily appreciate the significance when we say that these are the biggest values of the season.

### The Shoes Are Suitable for Spring Wear

The weight of these Shoes makes them suitable for wearing all Spring. The substantial way in which all "5" Shoes are made insures long and satisfactory service.

A good variety of the popular styles will be provided and the size range will be complete at first, although not in every style.

Among the Shoes provided are:

- Field mouse kid Lace Shoes with suede top; Cuban heel.
- Pearl gray and field mouse kid with cloth top and full Louis heels.
- Dark gray kid Shoes with full Louis heels.
- New field mouse suede, a very attractive Spring Shoe, is made with full Louis heels and turn sole; lace style.

You should anticipate future Shoe requirements in this sale, even to next Winter, for \$5 is a small price indeed for such Shoes. The sale will start promptly at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Extra salespeople will be in attendance to give you prompt service.

Basement Shoe Shop

## The New Spring Sample Suits

At **\$42.50**

Offer a Good Selection of Models  
and Extraordinary Values

**ALL** these Suits were obtained at a price concession because they are samples; and all were made to sell for considerably more than \$42.50.

They consist of the most desired Spring materials fashioned into many attractive new styles and trimmed in a variety of interesting ways.

Basement Suit Shop

## The New Spring Sample Dresses

At **\$22.85**

Provide Very Exceptional Values and Offer  
a Pleasing Variety of Styles for Spring

**HUNDREDS** of women have bought Dresses from this selection and the universal feeling has been one of utmost satisfaction. Satisfaction not alone from the low price, but as regards the general smart appearance of the models, the materials and the painstaking way in which each Dress was made. The reason for this state of satisfaction is that all these Dresses were made to sell at a much higher price, hence every one offers an exceptional value at **\$22.85**

Basement Dress Shop



## Spring Hats

Very  
Special **\$4.75**

A happy opportunity to secure the necessary new Hat at a surprisingly low figure.

**THESE** Hats are extremely popular for early wear with the tailored suit and in colors that are destined high favor in Fashion's realm, as turquoise, sand, brown and combinations.

They are fashioned of straw and feathers in the becoming turban style and would ordinarily command a much higher price, but we were able to obtain only a limited number which we are offering very special tomorrow **\$4.75**

Basement Millinery Shop.

## WIDOWER, 70, ARE MARRIED

Charles Brink, a former saloon owner, 70, of 63, a widow, 63, who was married to a Peace Warmer, of a damage ceremony.

Brinkmann, been married to children and Mrs. Piss, who been dead for mother of five six grandchildren.

Both the bridegroom said the surprise to the They refused mance beyond known each other mann said that business several cently has been soft drink establish Bridge room in a flat at 362

## WOMAN OWNED KILLED IN ROOM

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Miss Florence H. corner of the H. for Girls in So here, was shot room last night salient, who the building. The Miss House's rushed the flag

## MAN TRACED ARRESTED

Merchant, who is a St. Louis, Mo. man, was arrested in St. Louis, Mo.

T. Ernest McLenon, who was lately in conducting Senator, Miss night in the job Theater on the stolen automobile ment recently grand jury in had "jumped" here, and was Hotel, East St. his mail at Hotel under the name McLenon owned but one a purchased it rer. His indictment due to the fact election of the Tate County, Miss arrest here. Ho "frameup" against his lawyers advise state until things The request for rest came in a tel Williams McLenon

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# WIDOWER, 70, AND WIDOW, 63, ARE MARRIED AT CLAYTON

Charles Brinkmann, 70 years old, a former saloonkeeper of 3505 Natural Bridge road, and Mrs. Amelia Fliss, 63, a widow of 4200 Lee avenue, eloped to Clayton today and were married by Justice of the Peace Werremeyer, who halted trial of a damage suit to perform the ceremony.

Brinkmann, who previously has been married twice, has eight adult children and 15 grandchildren. Mrs. Fliss, whose first husband has been dead for several years, is the mother of five grown sons and has six grandchildren.

Both the bride and the bridegroom said the marriage would be a surprise to their children. They refused to discuss their romance beyond stating that they had known each other for years. Brinkmann said that he retired from business several years ago and recently has been a "bartender" in a soft drink establishment at the Natural Bridge road address. He said he and his bride would keep house in a flat at 3622 Hebert street.

## WOMAN OWNER OF GIRLS' SCHOOL KILLED IN ROOM; BUILDING FIRED

By the Associated Press.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 25.—Miss Florence Housel, 50 years old, owner of the Huntington Hall School for Girls in South Pasadena, near here, was shot and killed in her room last night by an unknown assailant, who then set fire to the building. The fire was discovered by Miss Housel's father, 80, who extinguished the flames.

## MAN TRACED BY A LETTER ARRESTED IN THEATER LOBBY

Merchant, Who Jumped Bond in Mississippi, Charged With Buying Stolen Auto.

T. Ernest McLendon, 32 years old, who was lately engaged with his father in conducting a general store in Senatobia, Miss., was arrested last night in the lobby of the Orpheum Theater on the charge of buying a stolen automobile, under an indictment recently returned by a special grand jury in his home town. He had "jumped" his bond in coming here, and was living at the Illinois Hotel, East St. Louis, and getting his mail at Hotel Statler, St. Louis, under the name of Robert N. Lewis.

McLendon said that he never owned but one automobile, and that he purchased it in the regular manner. His indictment, he said, was due to the fact that he opposed the election of the present Sheriff of Tate County, Miss., who caused his arrest here. He said the political "frameup" against him was so strong his lawyers advised him to leave the State until things quieted down. The request for McLendon's arrest came in a telegram from Sheriff Williams. McLendon was arrested

after detectives, who were waiting for him to call at the Statler for his mail, had seen a letter for him claimed by Cathryn Rabb of Memphis, who lives at the Illinois Hotel.

They followed her into the theater lobby, where she gave McLendon to meet the son. McLendon said the letter. It was from his father, young woman was an acquaintance.

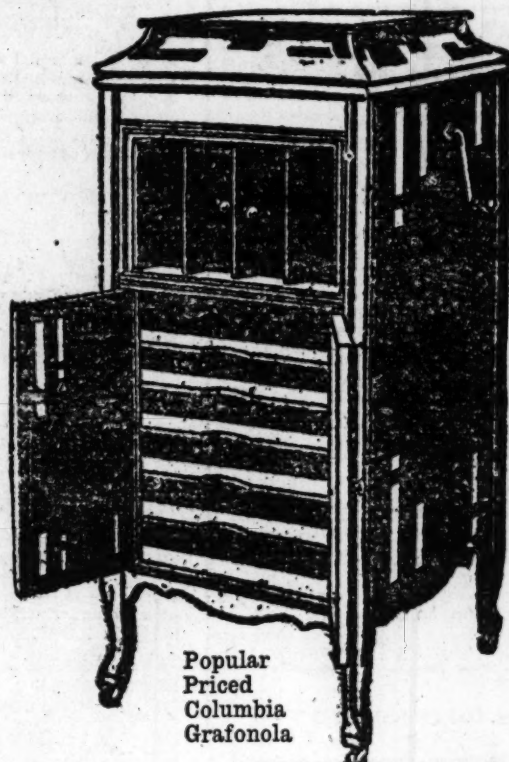
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**\$1** Down

Will Send This  
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Columbia  
Grafonola  
to You Immediately

Balance on  
Convenient Terms



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Grafonola

Now is the time to best enjoy your Grafonola: Turn the coldest Winter night into an evening of real enjoyment. Get this Grafonola now when its wonderful entertainment will be most appreciated. Delivery made at once—at the lowest price.

We guarantee Thursday deliveries now of all new models—all finishes—of every popular priced Grafonola. The surest way to avoid disappointment is to

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New  
(March)  
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Now on  
Sale.

# Nugent's February Sale

The Store for ALL the People



Stunning  
Millinery of  
Character

There are the stunning sailors, coquettish little pokes, mushrooms, and oh! yes, hosts of gay-hued turbans to brighten up one's street frocks. With such materials as porcupine and lisere, embellished with trimmings of ribbons, ostrich feathers, flowers and fruits, blended into the newest shades of the season, it is a pleasure to make a selection.

**\$7.50**

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

4420 Cakes  
Armour's Popular  
Toilet Soap

Three Colors and Odors—  
Peroxide, Geranium, Olive Castile  
This Soap is hard milled, lathers very freely in hard water and is a wonderful value at this price. Very specially priced at

**3 Cakes 25c**

Limit, 1 dozen cakes to a customer. No phone, mail order or C. O. D.'s. (Toilet Dept., Main Floor—Nugents.)

Special Thursday Feature  
Women's Pumps  
and Oxfords

Representing \$5.50,  
\$6, \$7 and \$8  
Qualities



**\$3.95**

About 1000 pairs from which to choose at a saving from \$1.50 to \$4 a pair. Here is a one-day sale that will make hundreds of new friends for our fast growing Shoe Department. Come in patent, gunmetal, dull kid, vici kid, also some brown, tan or satin in pumps, Oxfords, strap slippers, Colonial and many others. Choice of high or low heels. Assorted in sizes on tables. Choice, Thursday only, \$3.95.

In Our Bargain Basement  
Thursday Only

1500 Pairs of  
Women's  
High Shoes

Representing  
\$3.50, \$4 and  
\$5 Qualities.



**\$2**

Here is an opportunity to buy good shoes at less than wholesale price. It will pay you to buy two or more pairs in this one-day sale. Come in patent, gunmetal, vici kid, also some brown or tan. The styles are lace or button, with high or low heels. Assorted on tables in sizes 2 to 8. Thursday only, at \$2.00. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

Thursday—A Big Sale Event of Women's and Misses'  
Beautiful Spring Dresses

Scores of lovely Spring  
Frocks delightfully fashioned

Rustling Taffetas  
Filmy Georgettes  
Shimmering Satins  
Crepe de Chines  
Fine Tricotines  
Men's-Wear Serge

**\$28**



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\$28.

The styles included in this splendid collection represent the newest Spring modes, emphasizing the chic short sleeves. There is a wide diversity of fashionable creations, among which are the extended hip effects, ruffled skirts, crisp pleatings, close-fitting bodices, parasol fold drapings, basque effects, harem skirts, bouffant hip effects and tunics.

The colors—Navy blue, brown, taupe, Copen., black and flesh.

Be early tomorrow morning—come at 9 a. m. sharp. All sales final—no mail or phone orders, refunds or exchanges—none taken back for credit.

Extra salespeople, everything provided to give as efficient service as possible.

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

Mothers! Here is a great opportunity to save money in taking care of your children's Stocking needs.

Specially prepared for you in this sale are these reduced prices on

Boys' and Girls' Stockings

in Our

Children's Stocking Department

We advise you to prepare yourself with Stockings for the children for months to come. All first quality.

Select Any of Our Children's Stockings at 50c a pair. Sale price, 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

These come in black and white, 1x1 ribbed; full length, medium weight, reinforced heels and toes. All sizes 6 to 9½. Our regular 50c quality. 3 pairs for \$1.00.

Select any of our Children's Stockings, 65c. Sale price, 2 pairs **\$1.00**

Medium weight cotton and lisle Stockings, with double heels and toes. Two pairs, **\$1.00**

Select any of our children's 85c Stockings. Sale price, **65c**

1x1 ribbed lisle Stockings in black, white and cordovan.

Select any of our Children's 50c Socks. Sale price, 3 pairs **\$1.00**

White with colored tops, in various styles.

Select any of our infants' white wool-mixed Stockings, 65c. Sale price, 2 pairs **\$1.00**

Select any of our misses' shaped Silk Hosiery, \$1.00. Sale price, **79c**

Made in seamless styles with double heels and toes; cotton tops; sizes 7 to 8½.

Select any of our children's shaped cotton Stockings, 35c; sizes 7 to 8½. Sale price, 4 pairs **\$1.00**

Made in seamless styles with double heels and toes. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

**Men!** This notice is of interest only to men who look to the future. If you attend this sale tomorrow, \$29.00 and a package of camphor balls will put your mind at ease in regard to your next Winter Overcoat.

A Lucky Purchase of 544 Brand-New Men's and Young Men's

**Winter Overcoats**

Made by the Well-Known Firm of

H. & M. Goldberg, 787 Broadway, New York

Came our way in a lucky "pick up." This season's actual \$40.00 to \$50.00 Overcoats, and we intend to pass them right along to our men patrons tomorrow at \$29.00.

An actual saving of from \$10.00 to \$20.00 and possibly more on next season's prices on these same dandy Coats as there will be no changes in style for next season. and a purchase of this kind is like a Government bond.

The Coats are in an endless array of smart styles, big, soft, warm Ulsters, form-fitting Coats, some with velvet collars, others with self collars, conservative and belted models and every popular material, all colors, all sizes.

Our advice is to take advantage of this great offer.



606-608 Washington Avenue  
Thru to Sixth Street

**Kline's**

Charge Purchases Made Thursday  
Not Payable Until April

Beginning Thursday—A Great Sale of

**"SAMPLE" Spring Coats**



New \$80, \$75, \$65, \$60, \$55 and \$50 Coats

The "Sample" Spring Coats from a number of New York's foremost coat makers—wonderful new models that set the style—Coats that represent the supreme efforts in design and workmanship of the country's leading style creators. Every Coat brand-new, perfect in every detail.

**\$43**

Every fashionable Spring color is represented—everything from white and dainty Spring shades to the practical navy and black models, including Coats and Capes in vivid sport colors. The beauty of these new models is enhanced by the exquisite silk linings.

STYLES:

Polo Coats Sport Coats Motor Coats  
Afternoon Coats  
Coat-Wraps Evening Wraps

FABRICS:

Tricotine Polo Cloth Poiret Twill  
Duvet de Laine Camel's Hair Cloth  
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Third Floor



# Werner & Werner

Have Made Extensive Plans  
to Sell Thru This Week

## First Quality Suits

Overcoats, Shirts, Neckwear,  
Underwear, Gloves, Pajamas

### 20% to 50%

Less than present wholesale prices  
and includes:

Stein-Bloch Smart Clothes; Fashion Park Tailoring;  
Hirsch, Wickwire Clothes; Excello Custom Shirts, Etc.  
Many Just Right for Early Spring Wear

\$45, \$50, \$55, \$60  
OVERCOAT VALUES for..... **\$38**

\$65, \$70, \$75, \$80  
OVERCOAT VALUES for..... **\$47**

\$45 First-Quality Suits for..... **\$39.35**

\$50 First-Quality Suits for..... **\$43.75**

\$55 First-Quality Suits for..... **\$48.15**

\$60 First-Quality Suits for..... **\$52.50**

\$65 First-Quality Suits for..... **\$56.85**

\$70 First-Quality Suits for..... **\$61.25**

Silk Fiber Shirts, \$7.50; NOW..... **\$5.60**

Silk Mixed Shirts, \$8.50; NOW..... **\$6.40**

Silk Shirts, \$10.00; NOW..... **\$7.50**

Silk Shirts, \$12.00; NOW..... **\$9.00**

Silk Shirts, \$15.00; NOW..... **\$11.25**

Madras Shirts, \$2.25; NOW..... **\$1.85**

Madras Shirts, \$4.00; NOW..... **\$3.20**

Madras Shirts, \$5.00; NOW..... **\$3.75**

Madras Shirts, \$6.00; NOW..... **\$4.50**

Union Suits, \$3.50; NOW..... **\$2.65**

Union Suits, \$4.00; NOW..... **\$3.00**

Union Suits, \$5.00; NOW..... **\$3.75**

Union Suits, \$6.00; NOW..... **\$4.50**

Union Suits, \$7.00; NOW..... **\$5.25**

Union Suits, \$8.00; NOW..... **\$6.00**

Union Suits, \$9.00; NOW..... **\$6.75**

Union Suits, \$10.00; NOW..... **\$7.50**

Union Suits, \$12.50; NOW..... **\$9.40**

Neckwear, \$1.15; NOW..... **70c**

Neckwear, \$1.50; NOW..... **\$1.00**

Neckwear, \$2.00; NOW..... **\$1.35**

Neckwear, \$2.50; NOW..... **\$1.65**

Neckwear, \$3.00; NOW..... **\$1.95**

Neckwear, \$3.50; NOW..... **\$2.45**

Neckwear, \$4.00; NOW..... **\$2.80**

Neckwear, \$4.50; NOW..... **\$3.15**

Neckwear, \$5.00; NOW..... **\$3.50**

Hosiery, 50c; NOW..... **40c**

Hosiery, \$1.50; NOW..... **\$1.20**

Hosiery, \$2.00; NOW..... **\$1.60**

Hosiery, \$2.50; NOW..... **\$2.00**

Hosiery, \$3.00; NOW..... **\$2.40**

Hosiery, \$3.50; NOW..... **\$2.80**

Hosiery, \$3.75; NOW..... **\$2.95**

Hosiery, \$4.00; NOW..... **\$3.20**

It should be plain to any man that this is a wonderful opportunity for saving money. There is no sign whatever of any reduction in the cost of production. We are paying more for clothes for Spring than we paid for our Winter stocks.

Think of it!! A great stock-clearing movement in pursuance of our regular policy to reduce to a minimum the amount of merchandise to be carried over. Marking standard reliable apparel at reductions from 20 to 50 per cent.

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On Locust Street at Sixth

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## CITY PLANNERS FAVOR AMENDING THE ZONING LAW

Action Is Taken Over Protest  
of W. H. Fuchs Who Declares  
It in Interest of  
Realty Promoters.

### CITY OFFICIALS FAVOR THE CHANGE

Proposal Is to Fix 154-Foot  
Height Limit on Grand  
Avenue From Laclede to  
Cass.

The City Plan Commission, meeting at noon today, voted to recommend to the Board of Aldermen that the district height provisions of the city zoning law be amended by increasing the permissible height of buildings on Grand avenue, between Laclede and Cass avenues, from 80 to 140 feet. This will mean 154 feet, under the 10 per cent clause of the zoning ordinance, and will permit the carrying out of the plan for the erection of an efficiency apartment building, 150 feet high, at the southeast corner of Grand and Laclede avenues, in connection with a theater now being constructed there.

The Commission's action was taken over the vigorous objection of Dr. Walter H. Fuchs, one of the members, who declared that the proposed change was in the interest of real estate promoters, and against the city's interest and in violation of the spirit and purpose of the zoning ordinance. "It smells to heaven," he declared, after the vote was taken. City officials on the commission were solidly in favor of the proposed amendment, those present being President Kinsey of the Board of Public Service, Public Safety Director McKelvey, Street Director Taubert and Park Commissioner Pape. On McKelvey's motion, a proposal to circulate petitions among the property owners on Grand avenue was stricken out, as requiring too much time, and it was decided to make the recommendation for the change direct to the Board of Aldermen. Dr. Fuchs also objected strongly to this procedure.

The Board of Aldermen can hold hearings on the measure, if any considerable objection to it should develop. The decision to recommend the change in the height limit for Grand avenue was reached at a meeting yesterday afternoon, which was called by the subcommittee on zoning, but which was attended by a majority of the members of the commission, and so served as a caucus of the commission. Dr. Fuchs was not at yesterday's meeting.

The vote was 7 to 3. The vote today on the proposal was 7 to 3. Both meetings were held in the architectural office of Maurin, Russell & Crowell, in the Chemical Building, E. J. Russell is chairman of the commission. Alexander S. Langford is chairman of the subcommittee on zoning, which passed favorably on the proposal yesterday.

The two chief arguments made yesterday in support of the change, and repeated in reply to Dr. Fuchs' objections today, were: First, that Grand avenue is being changed, at a high and air space by a series of improvements, most of which have been inaugurated since the zoning law was enacted. These improvements are the Washington avenue cutoff, now in use, the Pine-Lavette cutoff, which is to be made within a short time, the Delmar-Morgan connection, the open space at Franklin avenue, and the proposed improvement of the same character at Page boulevard.

Second, that the high property values at Grand avenue and Olive street will require 150-foot (12-story) structures to be built on the three corners not now occupied by high buildings, and that no distinction should be made between the Olive street corner and other adjacent corners. This was the argument which won Chairman Russell to the support of the proposal. The authority as to real estate values was John H. Farish, president of the Real Estate Exchange, who attended yesterday's meeting.

One of Dr. Fuchs' arguments against permitting high buildings on Grand avenue was that the street was congested with traffic, and that this congestion would be increased to an intolerable degree. He said property owners on the east and west streets, and on parallel streets, should get their share of the general increase in values in the district, and that values should not be concentrated on Grand avenue. Washington avenue, he argued, will be in a position to be improved with business buildings, when it has been widened, provided Grand avenue does not absorb all the benefit.

Another Request Discussed. At yesterday's committee meeting there was discussion of the request, which the commission expects to receive soon, for an extension of the height limit in the downtown district to permit the erection of the proposed theater and office building of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, 250 feet high, at the northwest corner of Seventh and Locust streets. The present limit on the height of buildings in this district is 165 feet. Members of the commission, except McKelvey and Kinsey, expressed themselves unfavorably on this change.

The organ is described as one of the finest in the entire southwest. It is electrically operated and has three manuals, echo and pedal organs. Stamm will assume his duties March 1.



## When two Wives Meet

Secretly, every wife is fiercely ambitious for her husband—his success, appearance, strength—his standing among his fellow men.

Be worthy of that wife of yours. Keep healthy! Strength, appearance, success depend on health.

Living habits today are largely artificial—indoor—sedentary. To be healthy, we must regard Nature's laws. And one of the first of her laws is "Avoid Constipation. Keep the poisons of intestinal matter moving out of your body."

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In Blisters About Ears.  
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"My little boy had a breaking out about his ears which developed into a severe case of eczema. The breaking out was in blisters causing him to scratch and irritate it very much. When he went to bed I had to tie his hands, and many nights he slept very little."

"I saw an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and decided to try them, and after using four cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Ointment he was healed." (Signed) Mrs. E. Bowerman, Mesick, Michigan.

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## DOCTORS USE CALOTABS FOR COLDS AND FLU

Influenza and Grippe, Like Ordinary Colds, Require Calotabs, the Purified and Refined Calomel Tablets That Are Nauseless, Safe and Sure.

Physicians and druggists claim that the great epidemic of influenza has conclusively demonstrated that the quickest relief for a cold and the best preventive of influenza and pneumonia is to keep the liver active so that the digestive organs may be in perfect condition. For this purpose Calotabs, the new nausealess calomel tablets that are free from the sickening and weakening effects, is the most thorough and dependable, as well as the most agreeable laxative.

Calotabs have the special advantage of not making the patient sick and weak, as they do not upset the digestion and appetite. One Calotab at bed time with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea, nor the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure, or work. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified, and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast.

For your protection Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price 35c. Sold by all druggists and your money back if you are not delighted with them.

### ASTHMA

Dr. Kinsman's Asthma Remedy gives instant relief. 25 years of success. 35c. at all druggists. Avoid all substitutes. Trial Treatment Mailed Free. Write to Dr. F. G. Kinsman, Hunt Block, Augusta, Maine.

# Has Grip Left You a Bad Back?



THERE'S surely some good reason for that lame, aching back. Likely it's your kidneys. Your kidneys need help occasionally, just as your bowels need help. And it's mighty poor policy to neglect the slightest kidney weakness. A cold, chill or strain oftentimes congests the kidneys and slows them up. Poisons accumulate in the system and many mysterious aches and pains result. That may be the reason for that dull, nagging backache, those sharp, sudden pains and that tired, worn-out feeling. You may have headaches and dizzy spells, too, with perhaps some annoying bladder irregularity. You owe it to yourself to get well and to stay well. Neglect may lead to gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease. Use **Doan's Kidney Pills**. They have helped many St. Louis people and should help you. Ask your neighbor!

## These Are St. Louis Cases:

Michigan Avenue	Cass Avenue	Lincoln Avenue
Chas. C. Grosse, 7212 Michigan avenue, says: "We used Doan's Kidney Pills in our house for several years, and they have always brought relief to anyone suffering from kidney disorders. I first used Doan's when I was down and out with kidney trouble. I was so bad I could hardly turn over in bed, owing to the intense pain through my back and kidneys. I also suffered from rheumatic pains, and it was very painful, especially in my lower limbs. As soon as I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I got relief, and they have never failed to ward off any symptoms when I have used them since."	Mrs. J. F. Owens, 3711 Cass av., says: "A few years ago my kidneys were badly affected and for three weeks I suffered terribly. My back pained and I could only keep going by sheer will power. The pains felt like knife-thrusts. Doan's Kidney Pills certainly came to my rescue, curing me permanently. I have since then used a few of Doan's as a preventive; they keep me in fine health. I can't recommend Doan's Kidney Pills too highly."	Ernest G. Dickinson, carpenter, 3907 Lincoln avenue, says: "Some years ago I had trouble with my kidneys and bladder, brought on through taking a heavy cold. For five or six days I could hardly get about. My back pained night and day and mornings I was sore and lame. I felt tired and miserable. I was advised by my employer to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and after taking three boxes I was fixed up in good shape. I have never had a return of the trouble."
Lincoln Avenue	Easton Avenue	
Mrs. John B. Zaricor, 3953 Lincoln av., says: "Some years ago I was in a miserable condition with my kidneys. My back was so weak and lame I could hardly get up when I was down. My bladder was also weak and caused me a lot of trouble, and my kidneys didn't act right at all. I suffered from severe attacks of dizziness and awful headaches. I was nervous and run down, too, until I started to take Doan's Kidney Pills. One box of Doan's made me feel like a different person and before long rid me entirely of my trouble."	A. P. Vitrey, prop. of commercial printing establishment, 3846 Easton av., says: "I had a bad attack of kidney complaint, which lasted for about two weeks. I first noticed pains through my kidneys and I felt tired and heavy, especially on getting up in the morning. My back ached considerably. I had been reading the recommendations of so many local people who had been benefited by Doan's Kidney Pills that I decided to try them, getting a supply from Teiber's Pharmacy. It was no time after using them that I got straightened out and I have been free from kidney trouble ever since."	



NO package of Doan's Kidney Pills is genuine unless it bears the maple-leaf trade-mark and the signature—"Jas. Doan."

# Doan's Kidney Pills

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**Jenny & Jenkins**  
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

New silk Dresses  
\$15 to \$25

Just arrived—these models illustrated give you only a hint as to their beauty and attractiveness. These are the advance styles for Spring. We have just received them from a well-known manufacturer, and are offering these Dresses at a price that should demand your immediate attention. There are styles for every occasion. All sizes.

Spring Skirts  
Charming Skirts of good quality poplin, plaids and satins; gathered in back and topped with belt of self material; now at \$5.00

Each Hat Worth Double the Price  
**Sale Thursday of TRIMMED HATS, \$3.85**  
250 to Choose From

Fine Hare, Jap and Milan straws, small, medium and large effects, trimmed with flowers, ornaments and wings.

**SHAPES**  
Lace, Jap and Milan straws, Chin Chin, Mushroom, Pokes, etc., all desirable colors.  
\$1.49

**40c Cretonnes**  
Special at Yard... 25c  
Full yard-wide Printed Cretonnes; an almost endless variety of delicate patterns as well as bright attractive patterns for comfort covering, etc. Big shipment of mill remnants, one to 10 yards, and many to match.

**59c Khaki Cloth**  
Heavy brown Denim, for overalls, jumpers, boys' rompers, etc.; full length yard... 35c

**\$1 Mercerized Poplin**  
Yard-wide, finest high-grade mercerized silk finish Poplin; in all best Spring shades; mill remnants; yard... 69c

**Real Bargains in Shoes**  
Let us save you a few dollars on your new Spring Pumps or Oxfords. See these without fail.

Choice of a fine grade of Pump and Oxford, in all sizes, military or baby shoes; also 2 1/2 to 3.

**\$5.95**  
**\$2.95**  
High or Low Heels

**Lace Curtains**  
Net and Scotch Net Curtains; 5 1/2 yards long; white or cream; average-looking edge; pair... \$2.50

**\$4.50 Curtains**  
Saxony Net Curtains; 5 1/2 yards long; new designs; pair... \$3.98

**\$1.75 Bloomers**  
Women's black saten Bloomers; cut very full; special, each... \$1.25

**Dressing Sacques**  
Women's Flannel Dressing Sacques; a splendid assortment of patterns; \$1.50 value; a bargain; at, each... \$1.00

**39c & 49c Vests**  
Women's Ribbed Vests—taped neck and extra sizes—

**35c and 25c**

**Bloomers**  
Women's Knit Bloomers; full cut; well made; fine quality; black, pink and white; each... \$1.00

**Hose**  
Children's Ribbed Hose; a good serviceable stocking; black; each... 25c

**Shirts**  
Men's White Madras Shirts, with laundered cuffs; cut full; excellent value; each... \$1.79

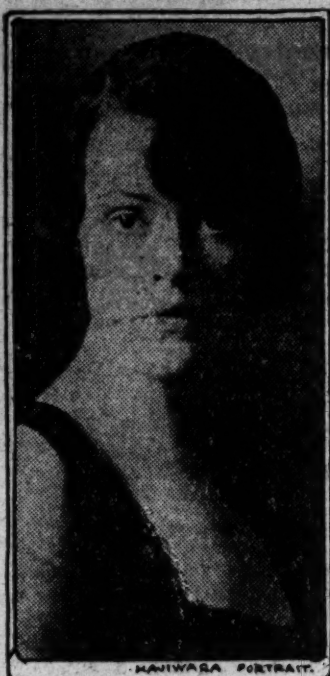
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34 inches wide; navy blue, medium twill serge—for suits or separate skirts; special, yard... \$2.69

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Yard wide; neat black and white Check Suiting; yard... 75c

**Neponset Floorcovering**  
A Floorcovering backed by the mill guarantee in wear to be equivalent to any printed Linoleum; made of extra heavy tough felt, 100% waterproof waxed back and high animal surface pattern. Suitable for public places of hard wear and the best of homes; pattern slightly shaded; if perfect, sells at 50c square yard; special... 59c

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### SHE ENTERTAINS FOR VISITOR FROM CHICAGO



Miss Jean Allison.

### MISS ISABEL LOWE AND FRANK N. GOERNER WED

Ceremony Is Performed at Home of Bride's Parents—Honey-moon in South.

A WEDDING of interest took place at 10 o'clock this morning when Miss Isabel Virginia Lowe became the bride of Frank N. Goerner, the Rev. Dr. Farrell, pastor of the West Presbyterian Church, performing the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. Only the immediate families and a few close friends witnessed the ceremony and attended the reception that followed. The only attendant was the bridegroom's small niece, Mary Virginia Goerner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bates Goerner, who acted as ring bearer.

The bride wore a gown of white barett satin, the bodice of brocade charmeuse and georgette and a simple draped skirt, made dancing length. She dispensed with the customary bridal veil and her bouquet was a shower of white orchids, lilies of the valley and roses. Little Mary Virginia Goerner wore a frock of white organdy.

Mrs. Goerner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Post Taylor of 5811 Barmore avenue. She received her education at the University of Wisconsin and is a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority. Mr. Goerner is the son of H. G. Goerner of 5538 Julian avenue.

After a honeymoon in the South Mr. and Mrs. Goerner will be at home after April 1 at 3 Polo Drive, Clayton, Mo.

### Social Items

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Ruth Barnard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Barnard of Chicago, and John G. Robert, son of Dr. and Mrs. John G. Robert, 5409 Cabanne avenue, which took place in Chicago Monday. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents and there were no attendants. Mr. Robert served as a First Lieutenant of aviation during the war and was with the 138th squadron, which was with the army of occupation in Germany. Since his discharge he has been engaged in business in Milwaukee, where the couple will make their home.

Mrs. H. Marion Conner of 312 Hawthorne boulevard, Webster Park, entertained today with a bridge-luncheon for the following guests: Misses B. White Williams, S. L. Stigall, H. J. Hooker, Stewart Jamison, Frieda Travis, J. M. Adams, J. T. Pettus, P. B. Jamison, William Koenig, Webb Samuels, E. S. Jarrett, Harry White, F. C. Wolf, Norman Jones, Leroy Bush, C. A. Vosburgh Jr., Clarence Wolf, Dodge, E. Tilt, R. E. Jordan and Miss Bess Baker. The luncheon was to have been given Feb. 18 as a Washington birthday party, but due to illness was postponed. The decorations were in red, white and blue.

Mrs. Dwight Treadway, 5148 Washington boulevard, has as her guest her granddaughter, Miss Emily Blaisell of Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Treadway will give a bridge party in honor of her guest on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Young of the Hotel Biltmore, New York City, who formerly resided in St. Louis, are here for a brief visit. They are staying at the Hotel Jefferson.

The marriage of Miss Rita Keller and Frederick Geselschap, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Geselschap of Milwaukee, will take place at 3 o'clock this evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Keller, 24 Gast place. The Rev. Dr. Sommers of the Grace Lutheran Church, will officiate in the presence of the families and a few friends. The prospective bride's sister, Miss Virginia Keller, will attend her as maid of honor, and Carl Rogers will be best man. After a wedding trip the couple will go to Milwaukee, where they will reside.

Several prenuptial affairs have been given in honor of Miss Keller and her fiancé, one of which was a dinner party Monday evening with Mrs. James W. Holmes of Gast place as hostess, and another a theater

party given last evening by Miss Keller's brother, Oliver Keller.

Miss Jean Allison, 5514 Washington boulevard, was hostess this afternoon at an informal bridge party in compliment to Elizabeth Kimball of Chicago, Ill., who is visiting here.

A business meeting of Corona Catholic Club will be held tomorrow at 730 Lindell boulevard.

Mrs. H. C. Shaffer, 1408 Temple place, announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Josephine Mary Shaffer to George J. Sahn, 5515 Maple avenue, Nov. 23, at St. Rose Church, the Rev. J. J. McGlynn officiating.

Mrs. F. Edward O'Neil and two children of New York, are the guests

of Mrs. O'Neil's mother, Mrs. L. J. Moore of the Parkhurst Hotel.

The Women's Union of Washington University will give the tea originally announced for a February date, but postponed because of influenza, March 5, from 3 to 5 o'clock, in McMillan Hall. Two speakers will discuss briefly the salary endowment question.

The Service Club, Jefferson Barracks, will renew its weekly dances at the Post Hall this evening. An auxiliary of the Service Club, composed of Barracks and St. Louis women, is being formed and plans are being made for the members to participate in boat excursions and outings during the summer.

Membership may be obtained in the Auxiliary by application to the

Service Club Director, Jefferson Barracks. Membership entitles persons to Service Club privileges, admission to dances and entertainments.

### EUTERPEAN CONCERT TOMORROW

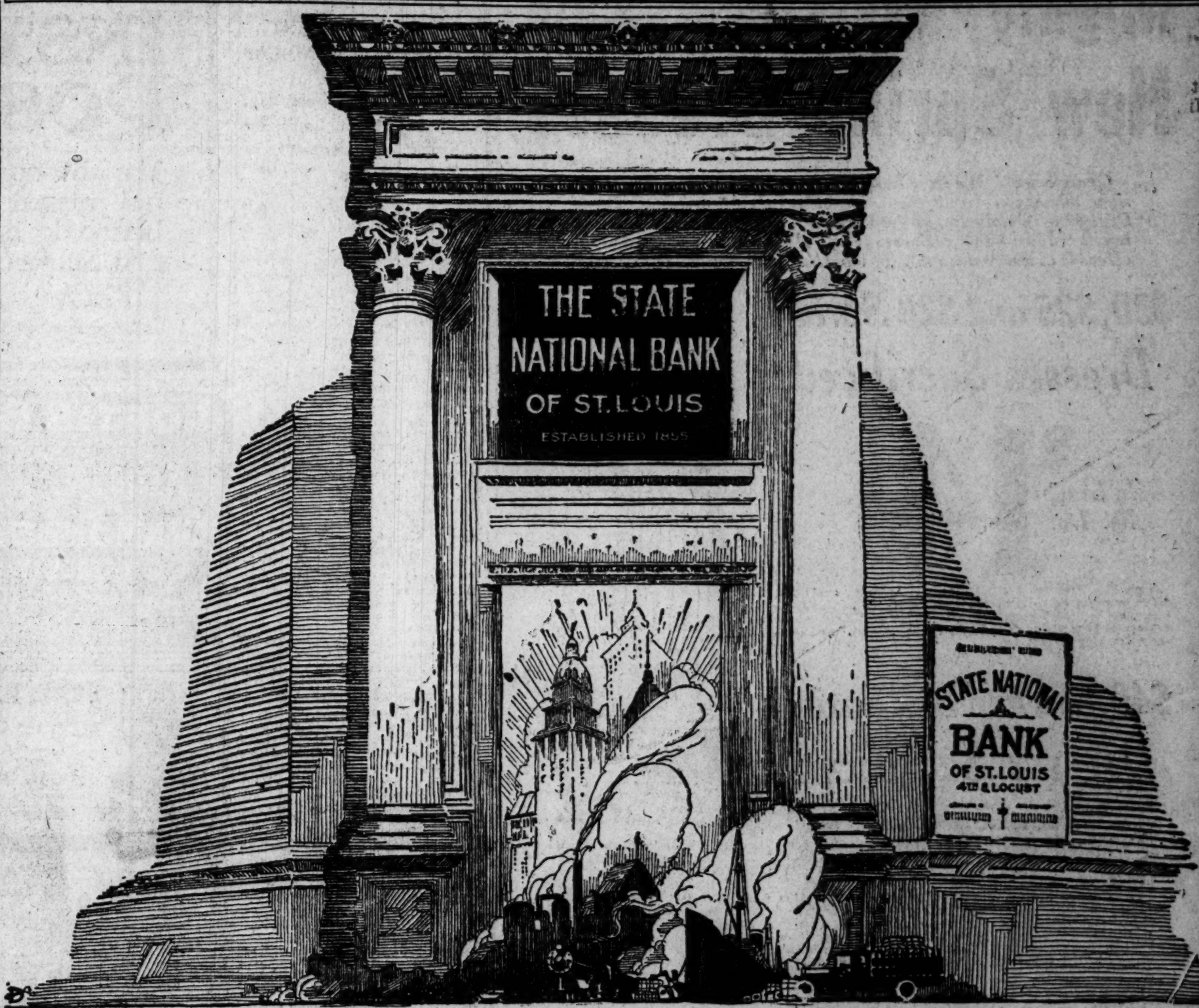
Soloists and Quartet on Program at Central High School. The Euterpean Choral Club will give its twenty-seventh concert tomorrow at 8:15 p. m. at Central High School Auditorium. The numbers have been arranged under the direction of W. C. Sheridan. Soloists will be members of the club who have had special training. They are Miss Vera Clayton, soprano; Miss Madge Meyer, pianist; Miss Helen Hechler, contralto; Miss Dorothy Fulton, contralto; Miss Florence Teschmacher, soprano, and

the Euterpean Quartet, consisting of Misses Rundel and Sobolewski, soprano, and Misses Witthop and Reitz, contraltos. The club chorus will sing four numbers.

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**American Girl Ends Life in Italy.**—The Associated Press. ROME, Feb. 25.—A dispatch to the Gleaner D'Italia from Rapallo, Italy, says that an American girl named Muriel Ridgway killed herself at Rapallo by throwing herself from the terrace of a hotel. The dispatch says Miss Ridgway was born in Detroit, Mich., and was less than 20 years old.

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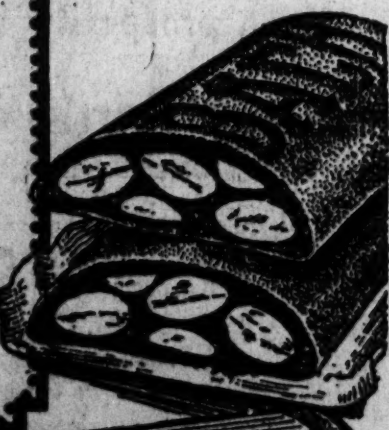
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Predicts Menace in "Savage Competition" for Business That Will Follow Return to Private Operation.

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ALREADY A HANDICAP

Central Control Necessary, He Says in St. Louis, for Proper Development of Transportation.

William G. McAduo, former Secretary of the Treasury and former Director-General of Railroads, in the city today for a conference with clients whose legal affairs are in his charge, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter at Hotel Statler that the future of the Mississippi River barge line, organized during the period of Government control, will be menaced by the "savage competition" for business that is certain to follow the return of the railroads to private operation.

River transportation systems, he said, in entering this new competitive field, already are greatly handicapped by inadequate equipment and restricted joint rate schedules, and the advantages possessed by the privately controlled railroads will be utilized to the utmost to increase these handicaps.

McAduo expressed the opinion that central control of the transportation facilities of the country was essential to the proper development of a new enterprise such as the barge line. With the co-operation of the railroads the use of the barge line would be encouraged and the economies resulting ultimately would have an effect on the whole freight rate structure.

Solidators Necessary.

On a competitive basis, the use of the barge line, he said, will depend largely on the enterprise of the individual shipper and the efforts of solidators, whom it will be necessary to employ to get the business for the river system.

He declared that if the barge line is to meet the competition of the railroads with any degree of success adequate facilities must be provided at once. He said that it is essential that equipment for the transfer of through freight be provided so that shippers can use to the fullest advantage the joint rates now in existence.

Deplores Haste of Congress. McAduo expressed disapproval of the haste with which Congress passed the railroad bill, asserting that a measure of such vital consequence to the economic welfare of the nation deserved more deliberate consideration. He professed ignorance of the provisions of the bill and stated that few outside of Congress actually knew what the measure contained.

McAduo, in a brief discussion of the present economic situation, attributed the prevailing high prices to burdensome war taxes and shortage of production. Some relief can be obtained, he declared, by drastic revision and redistribution of the excess profits and other war taxes.

Favors Long-Term Bonds. He expressed the opinion that a greater portion of the nation's war debt should be funded and long-term bonds issued. Posterity, he said, should be forced to assume a greater share of the burden.

McAduo requested reporters, in the course of his interview, not to use quotations in reporting his statements, pointing out that the questions he discussed were of the utmost importance and that it was his policy not to discuss such matters formally, except through a dictated statement.

Will Not Attend Convention. In response to questions, he said that he would not attend the Democratic national convention at San Francisco. He declined to discuss politics in general or reports that he would be a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

His attention was called to the report that his name had been filed in Georgia as a presidential candidate. He asserted that it was done over his protest and that he would request that it be withdrawn.

The former Secretary of the Treasury, commenting on the peace treaty, said that its immediate ratification is necessary for the economic welfare of the world. He expressed disapproval of "half-splitting" over reservations, but held the opinion that any reservation should be adopted which would necessitate sending the treaty back to the peace conference. McAduo arrived here last night, accompanied by his secretary. He said that he would return to New York this afternoon. He is practicing law in New York, and, among other clients, represents a motion picture distributing concern.

Civil War Veteran Stricken. J. R. Graham, 71 years old, a Civil War veteran of Centerville, Ill., became ill yesterday at the Relay Station in East St. Louis, and is a patient at St. Mary's Hospital. Graham said he went to East St. Louis in search of his granddaughter, Miss Ella Deal, 17 years old. He said a son, Edward Graham, resides in the western section of St. Louis. An effort is being made to locate his relatives. Graham formerly lived in East St. Louis.

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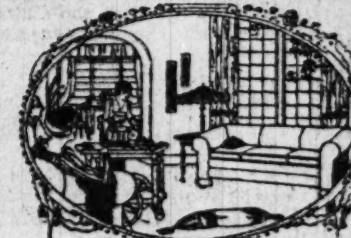
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Edward Mead. Bishop Tuttle presided at the dinner. The speakers urged that the Missouri quota of the church's nationwide campaign be raised before Easter. The State's quota is \$127,000. The purpose of the movement is to put the church finances on a business basis, and to provide for missions, education and social service.

## CRANE AGAIN SELECTED FOR POST IN CHINA

Named for Minister by Taft in 1909, but "Talked Too Much" and Was Recalled.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Charles R. Crane of Chicago, business man, millionaire and world traveler, appointed Minister to China by President Taft in 1909 and recalled while on the way to Peking for "talking too much," has been selected by President Wilson for the same post to succeed Dr. Paul Reinsch.

It was generally stated that Crane's recall in 1909 was at the instance of the Japanese Government, which was reported not only to have regarded his appointment as offensive but also to have objected to a man whom Crane was taking as a private secretary and adviser, and who was quite well known for writings construed as anti-Japanese.

Crane came again into public notice when President Wilson offered him the post of Ambassador to Russia, which he declined. Later Crane was a member of the mission headed by former Secretary Root which went to Europe and was generally regarded as one of the few men who were "close to the President."

China Has Accepted Him. The Chinese Government has accepted Crane as being persona grata, as it had in 1909. The Japanese Government knew of President Wilson's intentions to send Crane to China and only by a conjecture, but some Washington officials feel that President Wilson probably would not have selected him without feeling that this appointment would cause no disagreeable incident.

Crane, when appointed by Taft, was in Chicago, on his way to San Francisco, and quoted Taft as having told him of America's interest in China's welfare and having added that whenever Crane made a speech he ought to "speak it out red hot."

A month later, in San Francisco, Crane got a telegram from Secretary Knox ordering him back to Washington. Cause of His Recall. It finally developed that a story appearing in a Western newspaper, accredited to Crane, and representing him as attacking the Manchurian agreements between China and Japan, was the real cause of his recall. Crane announced that he had never seen the offending article, but assumed full responsibility for his connection with it, "purely incidental," as the connection was.

In a previous case, the protest of China held up former Senator Henry W. Blair of New Hampshire, who was on his way as Minister to Peking, because he had made certain "yellow peril" statements in the Senate debates on the Chinese exclusion law, which the Chinese felt made him persona non grata to them.

## CHARGE OF INSUFFICIENT HEAT AGAINST WRONG REALTY AGENT

Company Shows It Took Over Management of Apartment Later Than Date Named in Complaint.

The charges brought against the Dynas-Shelp Realty Co., 107 North Ninth street, for failure to provide heat for the apartments at 434-435 Harris street, were withdrawn by the City Counselor's office today when it was shown that on Feb. 16, the date named in the complaint, that company had not taken over the management of the apartments, which were then managed by the Julius Haller Realty Co., 18 North Eighth street. A summons was then issued, instead, for the latter company to appear in police court at a date to be set.

The complainants in this case, Clarence Fishback and Newton Funk, tenants of the apartments, stated to Assistant City Counselor Sadler that they had believed the Dynas-Shelp Realty Co. had the management of the apartments when the alleged violation of a new city ordinance occurred, but that they had since learned that this company did not assume the management until several days later and that since that time the heat service had been satisfactory.

## ONE HURT SERIOUSLY WHEN AUTO RUNS INTO CROWD

Robert L. Durff, 34 years old, of 3101 Abner place, was injured seriously and several others were reported slightly injured, when an automobile belonging to Alexander Mathias, Statler Hotel, driven by William Thomas, a negro, swerved and ran into a crowd waiting for an Olive car near the Rosedale Station of the Washburn Railroad, at Delmar boulevard and Hodiamont avenue, at 8:30 o'clock last night. Mr. and Mrs. Durff were knocked down and two suit cases they carried were destroyed.

Durff was said to have suffered injuries to the spine and internal hurts. The wife was bruised. The others refused their names to the police. Thomas was charged with careless driving. He told the police he had swerved to avoid another machine that made a wide turn west out of Hodiamont avenue.

Mellon Pennsylvania Director. By the Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—Andrew W. Mellon of Pittsburgh was today elected a director of the Pennsylvania Railroad to succeed the late Henry C. Frick. Mellon is president of the Mellon National Bank of Pittsburgh and is interested in many business interests in that city and elsewhere.

Navy for India Discussed. By the Associated Press. LONDON, Feb. 25.—It was stated

officially in the House of Commons, visited India to consider the formation of an Indian navy. His report is "Involved very serious consequences."

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## WINE HIDDEN IN MICHIGAN PRIEST'S CELLAR DESTROYED

Action of Prohibition Director in Michigan 'Revolt' Precedes Instructions to End Expedition.

By the Associated Press.

IRON RIVER, Mich., Feb. 25.—Maj. A. V. Dalrymple, Federal prohibition director for the six central states, today was ordered to discontinue his expedition in Iron County, where he has been investigating an alleged revolt against prohibition. The message, received from Prohibition Commissioner Kramer of Washington, advised the Major that Attorney-General Palmer has ordered an investigation of the affair. It says that Dalrymple is instructed to meet District Attorney Walker and cooperate with him.

When apprised of the expected visit of H. M. Gaylord, Deputy Prohibition Commissioner, to this country, Maj. Dalrymple said it would not change his plans to leave tonight for Chicago. As he will "be through here by that time," The Major plans to ask Prosecuting Attorney McDonough to accompany him to Grand Rapids, but not as a prisoner.

Warning by McDonough.  
Warning that he was prepared to arrest every U. S. prohibition agent in the country had been issued by McDonough. He said he had arranged for 100 picked men to carry out his orders.

McDonough called on Dalrymple to tell him if any attempt was made to arrest anyone in Iron County or to raid any private home he would arrest the Federal agents immediately.

His statement about the 100 picked men was made to newspaper men. He said a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Maj. Dalrymple. This warrant, he said, was in the hands of Chief of Police Sensiba of Iron River, to whom he has given orders to delay arrests until further developments.

Wine which was taken from the Federal authorities last week was found and destroyed today. Nine barrels of wine were located in the cellar of a priest's house, where it had been placed for safekeeping, and rolled into the street, where agents let the liquor run into a gutter.

Maj. Dalrymple asked for warrants for the arrest of the State's Attorney, county and Iron River city officials, who, he declared, interfered with a Federal prohibition officer who had seized contraband wine Feb. 19. The warrants were refused and the Major announced his intention to make the arrests without warrants.

Commissioner Roper to Inquire Into Situation.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—A complete investigation of the prohibition controversy in Iron County, Mich., will be made by the Bureau of Internal Revenue, Commissioner Roper announced today.

H. M. Gaylord, Deputy Prohibition Commissioner, will leave tonight for Grand Rapids and Iron River City, to take up with the authorities there the controversy which led District Prohibition Commissioner Dalrymple at Chicago to declare the county in "open revolt."

State to Co-operate With Federal Agents in Law Enforcement.  
By the Associated Press.  
LANSING, Mich., Feb. 25.—Although State officials here continue today to minimize the seriousness of affairs in Iron County, Mich., where Federal agents charge county officials with obstructing enforcement of the prohibition law, the various State departments are prepared to co-operate with Federal officers.

Acting Governor Luren D. Dickinson declared he was ready to take whatever legal action was necessary, "upon receipt of a proper complaint," and Maj. Roy C. Vandercok, commander of the State constabulary, has placed the entire Upper Michigan force at the service of the prohibition agents.

C. P. BELL DIVORCES SECOND WIFE IN UNCONTESTED SUIT

Married Her in 1918, Five Days After First Wife Divorced Him—Alleged She Was Quarrelsome.  
Christian P. Bell, son of Nicholas M. Bell of 4443 West Pine boulevard, yesterday obtained a divorce in Judge Calhoun's court from his second wife, Helen E. Bell, to whom he was married April 15, 1918, five days after Bell's first wife, Hazel W. Bell, had divorced him on a charge that she drank to excess.

In his suit against Helen Bell, Bell is not contested by her, he alleged that she was quarrelsome, that she declared she did not love him and that she associated with other men. They separated in August, 1918, she going to California, he alleged.

Bell inherited \$200,000 from the estate of his grandfather, Christian Pepper, a tobacco dealer.

Bills to Annual Ratification.  
ANNAPOIS, Md., Feb. 25.—Coincident with the appearance here today of Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon League, to explain the provisions of the Volstead prohibition enforcement act before the temporary committee of the House of Delegates, resolutions were introduced in both branches of the Legislature rescinding Maryland's ratification of the Federal prohibition amendment and authorizing the Governor to introduce proceedings for its annulment.

## TO AVOID THE "FLU"

First Of All, Make Sure Your Blood Is Red and Rich—in Fighting Trim  
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If You're Listless and Depressed Don't Delay a Minute—Get a Good Tonic

If you get the influenza, see a doctor at once—but why get it in the first place? Instead, to take every precaution now, against getting it! Probably the best and first thing to do is to make sure you are in good physical condition. During an epidemic, almost wherever you go you are exposed to influenza. As long as you are really well, the red corpuscles of your blood fight off and defeat disease germs. But when you are tired and run down, when you feel all right except that you haven't much energy or enthusiasm, your blood is tired out, too, and you are an easy victim.

Pepto-Mangan has become famous as a builder of rich, vigorous blood. It helps you when you are run down. It helps you avoid illness. Or, it helps you recover, if you realized your poor physical condition too late.

Physicians have been recommending Pepto-Mangan for years, in cases of anemia (bloodlessness). It is reliable, effective, and has a record of over twenty-five years' success. Take no chances with a run-down condition. Get Pepto-Mangan today. It is good health insurance.

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## THE BEST COUGH SYRUP IS HOME-MADE

Here's an easy way to save \$2, and yet have the best cough remedy you ever tried.  
You've probably heard of this well-known plan of making cough syrup at home. But have you ever used it? When you do, you will understand why thousands of families, the world over, feel that they could hardly keep house without it. It's simple and cheap, but the way it takes hold of a cough will quickly earn it a permanent place in your home.

Into a pint bottle, pour 2½ ounces of Pinex; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to fill up the pint. Or, if desired, use clarified molasses, honey or corn syrup instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, never spoils, and gives you full pint of better cough remedy than you could buy ready-made for three times its cost.

It is really wonderful how quickly this home-made remedy conquers a cough—usually in 24 hours or less. It seems to penetrate through every nook and crevice, loosens a dry, hoarse or tight cough, lifts the phlegm, heals the membranes, and gives almost immediate relief. Splendid for throat tickle, hoarseness, croup, bronchitis and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and has been used for generations for throat and chest ailments. It is a simple, harmless, and effective remedy. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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Sold everywhere. For free sample write to Emergency Laboratories, 343 West 47th St., New York City.

Be careful of the soaps you use on your skin. Poslam Soap is safe, beneficial, delightful, medicated with Poslam.

## CATARRHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or are even just a little deaf, you can get relief. Have had noise, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parnint (double strength) and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noise. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing becomes easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone losing hearing or who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

## Wants His Money Back

"I can thank Mr. O'Brien, a neighbor, for my recovery from severe colic attacks and stomach trouble that nearly forced me to give up my business. I spent thousands of dollars in the past nine years for doctors and medicines and never had a cure. But Mr. O'Brien's advice to use Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, which I had the money back I sent for other medicine." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allows the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver or intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

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## Baby Coughs

resists treatment with a remedy that contains no opiates. Place's is mild but effective; pleasant to take. Ask your druggist for

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Dr. Chase's Liver Tablets  
Bile is the cause of constipation, biliousness, headache, and many other ailments. It is a result of a sluggish liver. Dr. Chase's Liver Tablets are a powerful remedy for all these ailments. They act on the liver and bowels, and give a healthy, active liver. They are sold everywhere. Sample 8-cp. bottle, 15c; Pint, \$5.00. ROSWELL'S LABORATORIES, 605 Ind. Trust Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

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## How to Have Lips and Cheeks Like Immigrant's

Yes, you can have a complexion just as beautiful as an immigrant's! Cheeks that suggest ripe peaches, ruby lips and the soft, fresh skin of the loveliest come from "The other side." But you never get such a complexion out of cream jars, rouge boxes or lotion bottles. The way to do it—thanks to a recent discovery—is to mix a little honey with a spoonful of powdered talcum, spread this over your face and let it harden into a thin shell-like mask. This brings the blood to the surface, tones the nerves of the face, gives cheeks and lips a healthy color, brightens the eyes, clearing and toning the skin, sends out all facial life to disappear.

This is nature-made beauty. Use that of the immigrant girl's. When the mask is washed off (in a half hour) you will have a complexion you wouldn't think of exchanging for a make-up. You can do this every day. The mask is so simple to make that you can make it without the least harm or inconvenience.

## Tightens Her Skin—Loses Her Wrinkles

"I want to tell you how easily I got rid of my wrinkles," writes Lucille Marsh. "While in London a friend, who had been advised by her husband, gave me a formula for a home-made preparation which has the effect of instantly tightening the skin, thus smoothing out wrinkles and furrows."

"The principal ingredient is powdered aloe vera, which can be had at drug stores here. An ounce of aloe vera is dissolved in a half pint of hot water. After bathing my face in this but once the transformation was so marvelous I looked years younger. Even the deep creases about my neck. It seems difficult to believe anything could produce such results. Beware of those who recommend the recipe have been similarly fooled. One an elderly lady whose skin had become quite hard."

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### INFLUENZA SPREAD BY CONTACT, MEDICAL CONVENTION IS TOLD

Waves of It in Isolated Places Us-  
 ually Occur at Same Time as  
 General Waves, Doctor Says.  
 By the Associated Press.  
 CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The American  
 College of Physicians and the American  
 Congress on Internal Medicine took up  
 today the discussion of contagions, the conditions  
 which give rise to them and the  
 manner in which they should be  
 controlled.

Waves of influenza, according to a  
 report by Dr. Rosenow of the Mayo  
 Foundation at Rochester, Minn.,  
 often appear at isolated places, but  
 usually simultaneously with a gen-  
 eral wave. It had been established,  
 however, he said, that influenza was  
 spread by contact.

The colleges of physicians in small  
 communities, Dr. Rosenow said,  
 should study influenza, as well as  
 other contagious diseases, because  
 investigations are carried out under  
 difficulties in thickly populated dis-  
 tricts.

What was described as a new  
 method of diagnosing typhoid fever  
 which could be performed, it was  
 asserted, in 10 minutes, at the bed-  
 side, aroused interest yesterday. The  
 test was discovered by Prof. E. C.  
 Bass of Tulane University, New Or-  
 leans.

The American heart is likely to  
 benefit greatly by prohibition, in the  
 opinion of Dr. Gientworth R. Butler,  
 president of the congress. Tobacco,  
 Dr. Butler said, is not nearly so  
 dangerous as alcohol.

"The effect of tobacco," Dr. But-  
 ler said, "usually is temporary, and  
 is rarely more than functional. If a  
 man has smoked too much all he  
 needs to do is to stop for a while  
 and his heart will recover."

### COUNTY LEAGUE DECIDES GAS RATE OF \$1.35 IS JUSTIFIED

Municipalities Had Intended to Ask  
 for Reduction in Price Fixed  
 by Commission.

The St. Louis County League of  
 Municipalities decided yesterday, at  
 a meeting in the office of J. H. Kin-  
 eady, mayor of Ferguson, that the  
 St. Louis County Gas Co. was just-  
 ified in continuing its present rate of  
 \$1.35 for 1000 cubic feet.

It had been the intention of the  
 league to ask that a slight reduction  
 in the rate be made, but a report of  
 the committee of engineers appointed  
 at a meeting last week to investi-  
 gate conditions, stated that while  
 some materials had decreased in  
 price since the present agreement  
 was made six months ago, labor had  
 steadily increased in cost, and a re-  
 commendation was therefore made  
 that the gas company be permitted  
 to continue the rate of \$1.35 for an-  
 other six months. This rate was es-  
 tablished by the Missouri Public  
 Service Commission in August last,  
 when a reduction from \$1.40 was  
 made, and was to expire next Mon-  
 day.

Six of the seven municipalities in  
 St. Louis County were represented  
 by their Mayors and city attorneys.

### END OF NEGRO LYNCHINGS IN SOUTH SAID TO BE NEAR

Tuskegee Institute Head Cites  
 Pledges of Four Governors as  
 Reason for Statement.

By the Associated Press.  
 BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Within a few  
 years there will be no more lynching  
 of negroes in the South, Dr. Robert  
 R. Moton, the negro head of Tuske-  
 gee Institute, predicted in an address  
 here last night.

The Governors of North Carolina,  
 Georgia, Tennessee and Kentucky  
 have pledged themselves that there  
 will be no lynching in their states  
 while they are in office, he said.

Dr. Moton said the Governor of  
 North Carolina recently recognized a  
 negro committee "as brothers."

### MASS MEETING OF NEGROES

President of Lincoln League Will Be  
 Principal Speaker.

Roscoe Conkling Simmons of  
 Louisville, Ky., president of the Lin-  
 coln League, will be the principal  
 speaker tonight at a mass meeting of  
 the Citizens' Liberty League, an or-  
 ganization of St. Louis negro Republi-  
 cans, at Union Memorial Church,  
 Leffingwell avenue and Pine street.  
 Mayor Kiel, Homer G. Phillips, Dr.  
 George E. Stevens, pastor of Central  
 Baptist Church, and Dr. Charles  
 Henry Phillips also will speak.

Republican leaders, together with  
 members of the Republican City  
 Committee, have been invited to at-  
 tend, as the meeting will be a po-  
 litical one. At a recent conference  
 with Mayor Kiel and other Republi-  
 can leaders the Citizens' Liberty  
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 councils in the city, the appointment  
 of negroes to the uniformed branch  
 of the Police Department, in the Fire  
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 trict. The negroes were informed by  
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Ice Cream That Won't Melt in Sun Is  
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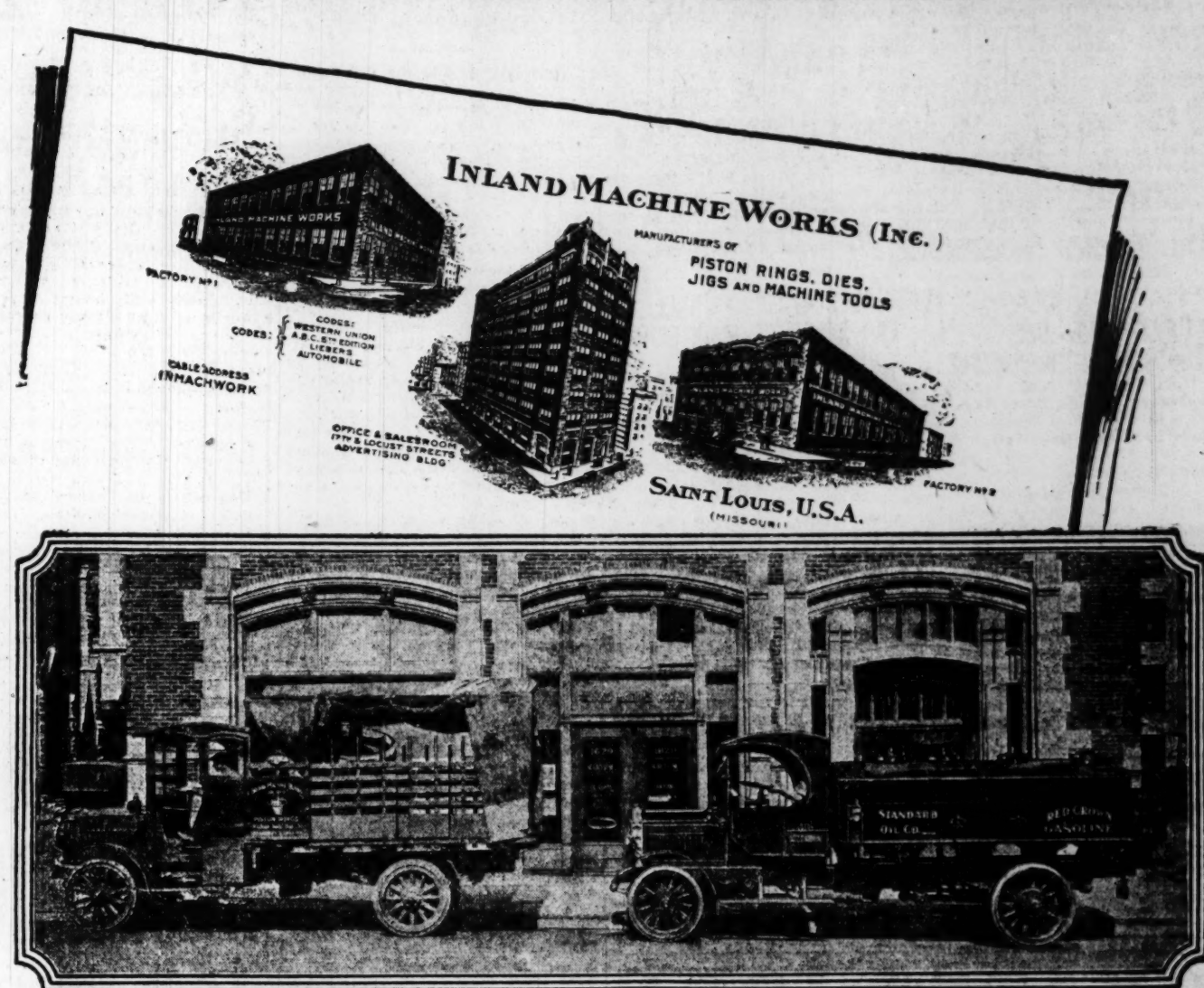
### LEADING MAN WEDS NORA BAYES

By the Associated Press.  
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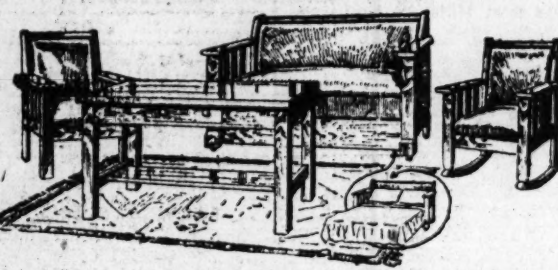
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**CITY EMPLOYEES WANT  
\$2,050,000 MORE PAY**

Efficiency Board Considers De-  
mands of Unions for Advances  
Effective April 1 Next.

Demands of city employees for sal-  
ary increases as indicated at con-  
ferences now being held between the  
Efficiency Board and labor repre-  
sentatives would mean an increase  
for the coming year of \$2,050,000  
in city payroll expenditures.

The Municipal Employees' Union,  
representing 3411 employees, has a  
bill pending for an aggregate sal-  
ary increase of \$1,500,000. The City  
Firemen's Union, with approxima-  
tely 800 members, is asking for a pay-  
roll increase of \$300,000 and the  
552 city workers in the skilled  
trades are seeking a total increase  
of \$250,000.

All of these increases if granted  
would be for the fiscal year begin-  
ning April 1 next. In the case of  
employees in the skilled trades the  
Efficiency Board will endeavor to  
induce the members to sign con-  
tracts for the entire fiscal year so  
that no further wage demands may  
be made during that period.

The carpenters are asking an in-  
crease from \$1 to \$1.25 an hour.  
Outside the city service the \$1.25  
scale will go into effect July 1. The  
carpenters will be the first to be  
asked to sign a wage contract to re-  
main in effect the entire fiscal year.

Demands thus far made by other  
skilled trade municipal workers are  
as follows:

Asphalt makers, 55 cents to 70  
cents an hour; asphalt smoothers  
and tappers, 50 cents to 65 cents an  
hour; blacksmiths, 80 cents to \$1 an  
hour; boilermakers, 85 cents to \$1.10  
an hour; bricklayers, \$1.12 1/2 to  
\$1.25 an hour; ship carpenters, 75  
cents to 87 1/2 cents an hour; wagon-  
makers and wheelwrights, 82 1/2 cents  
to \$1.25 an hour; and painters, 75  
cents to \$1 an hour.

The Municipal Employees' Union is  
asking for an increase of 40 per cent  
for those receiving less than \$75 a  
month, 25 per cent for those receiv-  
ing from \$75 to \$105 monthly, 30 per  
cent for those receiving from \$105 to  
\$150, and 20 per cent for those re-  
ceiving from \$150 to \$200.

A statement accompanying the  
schedule of demands says: "The  
municipal employees, individually and  
collectively, demand the right to col-  
lectively bargain with the proper de-  
partment, board or authority of the  
city of St. Louis on matters pertain-  
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conditions."

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By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The  
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tuated in the minds of the American  
people. Secretary Baker declared, in  
sponsoring the presentation yester-  
day at Red Cross headquarters of the  
painting, "This Is the Glory," a gift  
of its creators, Joseph Gray Kitch-  
ell, who conceived the ideal while  
serving as a Major in the morale  
branch of the General Staff, United  
States army, and F. Luis Mora, a  
New York artist.

The painting, in which are ideal-  
ized the forces of a thousand Red  
Cross workers, will be placed on view  
in the society's museum.

Horse Fire Engine Goes to Museum.

LONDON, Feb. 25.—The last  
horse-drawn fire engine remaining  
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several manufacturers co-operate with us for this event. This year we secured 5400 soft Spring  
Hats at price concessions that enable us to offer them at this radically low price. Included are  
samples, surplus floor stocks and cancellations. These Hats are exact replicas of the ones we'll have  
in our Spring stock, at which time \$7 will be the lowest price for Hats of equal value.

Every Hat is a new Spring model, and there are styles for men and  
young men of every type. Light-weight Hats in silk and smooth fin-  
ishes and in shades of green, gray, pearl, tan, blue as well as black.

Remember, this February sale price is less than the present manufacturing cost, and it is our advice to buy  
several Hats while the opportunity presents itself.

**Thursday the February Sale Presents This Special Offering of  
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New Spring Styles, Offered in Two Groups at

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sashes, panels and revers in plain white or in contrasting colors.  
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**\$1 Dollar Day**

In the Basement Economy Store—Thursday

Dollar Day comes as the climax to a month of extraordinary value-giving in the Basement  
Economy Store. All during the past four weeks our February sales have provided daily fea-  
tures to the great advantage of the thrifty and far-sighted. And now comes Dollar Day with  
its multitude of extreme values. Whatever needs you failed to supply during the early  
part of the month should be provided for tomorrow. Full details in this evening's Star and  
Times. No mail or phone orders, however, will be accepted.

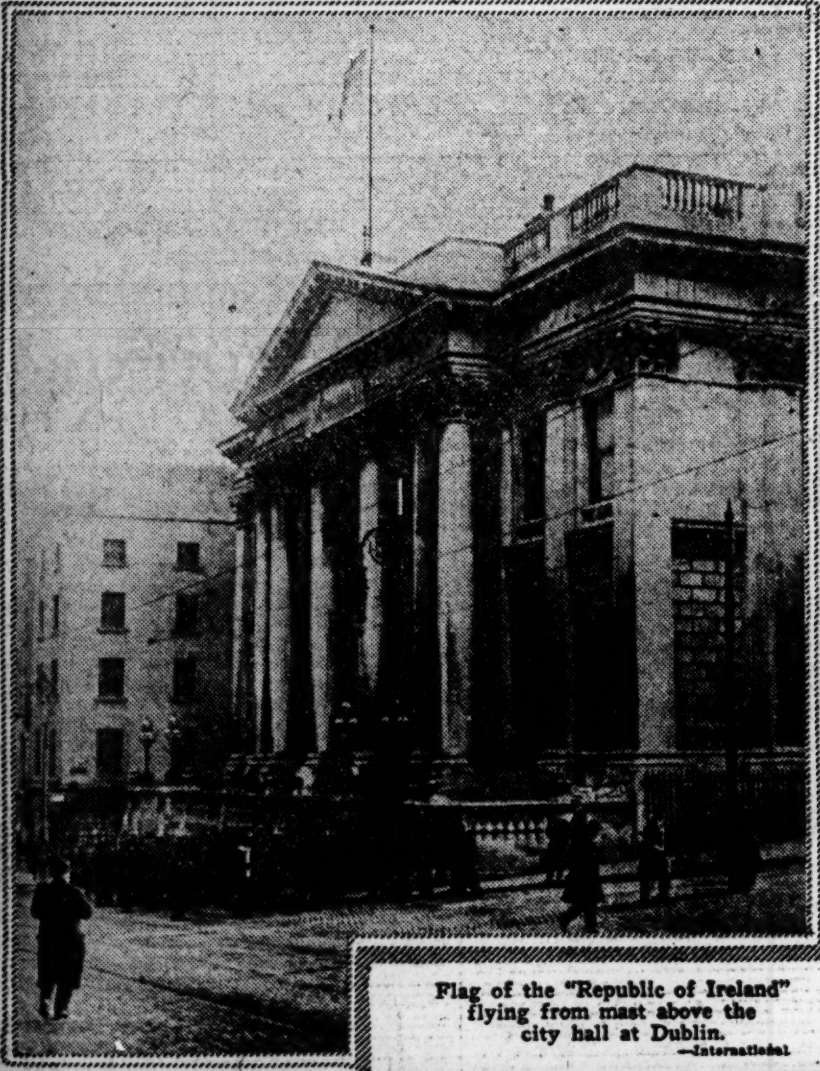




Women residents of Jerusalem who took part in the recent Peace Fete at that city, in which women of many nationalities participated.  
—International.



Mountain climbing has become a fad with young people of Salt Lake City. Exciting moment in climb of perilous peak of Mount Zion.  
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Flag of the "Republic of Ireland" flying from mast above the city hall at Dublin.  
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Constantine A. Chekresi, who has announced his appointment as official representative of Albania to the United States.  
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School children are among the principal customers of the Red Cross Community Kitchen, Seventh street and Lafayette avenue.



Samuel Adams of Chicago, who has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for vice president.  
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Citizens of Roumanian birth who danced the "Carusel," their national dance at the Americanization Pageant given by foreign born citizens at the Community Center Hall, Grand and Vista avenues, last Sunday.



New York city officials watching test of a novel machine for removing snow. The machine works on a conveyor system, dumping snow into a truck alongside.  
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JOSEPH PULITZER.  
April 10, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

## Grade Teachers' Salaries.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

On Nov. 11, 1919, at the special election, I voted in favor of the school tax increase solely because I believed it was to be used chiefly to increase the salaries of the grade teachers.

According to statistics the salaries of principals rank third, the high school teachers' salaries, according to the last survey, are as high as the average salary paid in the leading cities in the United States, while the grade school teachers' salaries rank twelfth. The recent substantial increases granted to grade teachers in other cities have put the St. Louis grade teachers much farther down the list.

The agitation now on foot by the high school teachers and a few of the grade teachers for a 30 per cent flat increase would not allow the grade teachers to become on a par with grade teachers in other cities. The majority of the grade teachers, as I understand it, are fighting for a standardization of salaries. I believe the difference between the salaries of the highest paid grade teachers and the principals is too great, averaging about \$2000 per annum, while in other cities the difference is far less. The flat 33 1-3 per cent increase would give the principals a salary of \$4823 a year, while the 33 1-3 per cent to high school teachers would put them far above the average, and this same increase to the grade school teachers would give the highest paid teacher only \$2600, while for 14000 teachers salaries only to about \$1600 per annum.

This would not carry out the aim of the majority of the grade school teachers nor would it comply with the impression given out to the public in general and the voters in particular that the major part of the increase in tax would be devoted to raising the salaries of the grade teachers.

G. M. HEATH.

## University City Wants Busses.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Won't you suggest to the Motor Bus company that they send some of their buses out as far west as University City? There are lots of people living in this vicinity who don't care to walk all the way to Hamilton avenue for a bus and who would like to ride in them also. Thanking you and hoping you will be able to get them to come farther west for their patrons. A SUBSCRIBER.

## Crowded Theaters.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Visiting some of your theaters, I was amazed to see a condition which is tolerated here. I refer to jamming of the patrons of certain theaters and allowing them to park the aisles and exits, with the auditorium or seats already crowded to their capacity. Not only that, but a series of heavy chairs, held by irresponsible boys or girls, could only cause extra confusion in the case of a fire. What if any minor cause, such as a woman having an epileptic fit, or a sudden onset of fire is hard to tell. With aisles crowded to suffocation, all exits blocked, the large audiences would have no show to leave. It seems to me that the proper authorities should forbid this and allow no one to enter a theater after every seat is occupied.

C. N. BAKER.

## The Number of Arrests.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In reference to the item in your fearless paper of Feb. 21, "Decrease of 33 Per Cent of Arrests in January," would like to say that it is no wonder that the "drunkards' ward" is empty and crimes due to drink (booze and beer were always the exclusive stimulus to crime) is less. How could a poor man get drunk if he cannot get "it"? How about the bank robberies, the payroll robberies, burglaries, etc., of which not 1/2 of 1 per cent is made public?

Let us arrest all those implicated in such crimes and see what the dockets will show. It is easy to arrest a drunken sport. And watch the "increase" of arrests! How would the number of arrests grow if burglars were caught?

D. W. L.

## Candidate for Mayor.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Belin Jim D. wants to be President. I think I'll be Mayor. I'm the bird this town needs. I'd fit that job as snug as a proffers' hands fits your pocket or mine as the case may be. I've got a helluva education. I don't drink no intoxicating liquor unless I know the guy that sells it or, as does still happen now and then, gives it. Like Jim D. my name is in the sense. I ain't got no telephone but I'll get one of the darned things if elected Mayor. I ain't no church member. I'm honest. Belin honest Washington, D. C. is no place for me. Let Jim D. be President. I'll be Mayor.

You can publish this announcement where you please. But I forgot to tell you that I'm modest. So please put the announcement under a small eight-column headline in an obscure place at the back of the paper.

Y. N. M.

## RUSSIAN PEACE.

Since Lenin and Trotsky express their ardent desire for peace with all Governments, and the allied Powers have adopted a policy of trade with Russia and recognition of the Soviet Government when "Bolshevik horrors have come to an end," Russian peace may be regarded as a practical certainty.

Reason has come to both camps. The reign of blood has ceased in Russia because, having won complete political domination, the Russian dictators see the necessity of economic rehabilitation. They know they cannot long survive the ravages of cold and hunger. It may be that they cannot survive peace, because war has given them the best reason for the existence of the Bolshevik despotism and has united the people in a fervid support of their rule. Everything has been borne on account of the fear of foreign invasion and domination.

The supreme test of Bolshevism will come in peace. With no fear of foreign invasion, with the revolution secure from foreign interference, the attention of the Russians will be turned to their own economic conditions. Sovietism under dictators will be tried on its merits. If it is true that the workingmen are under compulsion and military discipline; if it is true that 80 per cent of the privates and 60 per cent of the officers are neutral; if it is true that the peasants who have taken possession of the land refuse communism and merely tolerate Bolshevism so long as it refrains from using force against them, the reign of Lenin and Trotsky will be short. At any rate, the merit of their governmental theories will be tested and we shall know precisely how they work in practice.

Whatever happens in Russia, the only sound, wise policy is to recognize the existing Government, which has proved its strength for the time, and let the Russians work out their own salvation, without interference from the outside. All that other Governments can ask of the Soviet Government is that it keep faith and function in relation to them in accord with the rules that govern all amicable international relations.

The greatest advance toward world peace will be Russian peace. It will also mark a great advance toward the economic rehabilitation not only of Russia, but of Europe. It will be an important factor in the prosperity of all civilized nations. It will mean more food for Central Europe and trade for all industrial peoples.

Among the extinct species include the orator who used to assure us that prohibition doesn't prohibit.

## DEMOCRATIZING THE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

Many speakers in the National Educational Association in Cleveland voiced dissatisfaction with the present status of public school teachers as one stifling opportunity and individuality and made a strong demand for some plan under which teachers will have a part in the government of the schools and the determination of school policy.

An analogy of the industries is here most pertinent. It has been found that co-operation of many forms on the part of employees in the management of plants and the regulation of employment conditions has resulted in stimulating ambition and in largely increasing efficiency.

If such effects are obtainable in industries, how much more are they to be expected in the schools where so much opportunity is given to intelligence and individual temperament? Where is the need for greater efficiency more urgent than in the schools?

The subject is one to which the Post-Dispatch has previously directed attention. A tendency to grow too mechanical is one of the faults of the schools. Systems, however admirable as systems, become too rigid. The personal element is almost wholly lacking or is regrettably subordinated. In dealing with so impressionable and fine a thing as the mind of a child, something more elastic than rule of rote and automatic, clockwork regulation and direction is required.

Justice to the teachers demands a modification of what President Charles B. Stillman of the Federation of Teachers calls our "Prussianly autocratic school system," the unbalanced, unrestrained control of boards of education, superintendents and assistant superintendents. Industry is being democratized. The interests of teachers and the public and more especially of the children call for the democratization of the schools. In some places it seems that the children exist for the schools and not that the schools exist for the children.

## GOVERNMENT BY LOBBY.

Senator Thomas of Colorado has drawn a pathetic picture of Congress during the pendency of the railroad bill. There, under the baleful scrutiny of crowded galleries, our members of Congress have sat, their every word and gesture noted and recorded in a variety of Doomsday Books. Damocles under the threatening sword was in a less precarious position. For him there was the possibility that the slender thread might hold. Our statesmen have no such hope. Destruction is their ineluctable portion. Whatever they do is wrong. "We'll be damned if we do and we'll be damned if we don't."

It is a sad sight. Nor is the picture overdrawn. Senator Thomas is correct, too, in his conclusion that such lobbying of class interests is a greater menace than any foreign complication. But the responsibility is not theirs alone.

## EDITORIAL SPARKS.

A man must not expect to live in clover simply because he marries a grass widow.—Boston Transcript.

The frequency of the demands made upon him for loans gives meaning to the title "Uncle Sam."—Greenville Piedmont.

Our best reform would be to pay United Senators on a piecework basis, with double pay for the repeal of fool statutes.—Wall Street Journal.

Visitor (being shown around the grounds of estate by proffers): That tower, I believe, goes back to William the Conqueror. Proffers: Oh, no, it don't. I've bought the lot.—London Evening.

A woman isn't necessarily shallow because her beauty is only skin deep.—Chicago News.

Edith: So Jack did not propose to you. Marie: Not after being refused by you he knew he had no chance with me.—Boston Transcript.

Factory Superintendent: What's this? A demand from all the men for eight hours' overtime at double pay? Casey: Sure. Didn't we all turn out to the boss's picnic Sunday afternoon?—Judge.

"Haven't you ever drunk rain water?" asked the milkman making conversation. "Well, if that's the kind you put in our milk, I have," replied the woman at the back door.—Pittsburgh Statesman.

bility for this condition of affairs is squarely on the members of Congress and, if it is righted, they must do it. They have pandered to every class interest big enough or impudent enough to brandish a stick.

"You cannot imagine the mental anguish of the man who wants to be re-elected," says Mr. Thomas. Possibly. But the country knows what price such Congressmen will pay for re-election. They barter conviction and self-respect, which is a higher price even than Newberry is alleged to have paid.

To Congress must be charged our degeneration from a government by law to a government by lobby.

## GREATER ST. LOUIS NEEDS.

The bond issue which provides for necessary public improvements and facilities is the first concern of St. Louisans planning for Greater St. Louis. It is time to prepare for a winning campaign for the bonds.

Annexation of the county will add at once to the population of the city, but will not contribute to the growth of population in the city and the suburbs which are now tributary to St. Louis. For the building up of the greater city in population, industry and commerce, rapid, convenient transportation at reasonable rates is required. We need:

Adequate rapid transit to all parts of the greater St. Louis district, through subways or a combination of subways and elevated roads.

Direct, continuous street railway connection between the downtown center of the city and the East Side lines over the Eads and municipal bridges.

Adequate suburban steam railway service to the suburbs, with a central downtown depot for passengers. Everything that contributes to the growth of the entire St. Louis district contributes to the growth, industrial and commercial expansion and the prosperity of St. Louis.

The successful operation and expansion of river transportation.

Without adequate transportation the city is shackled. With it the shackles are off.

A new Constitution is necessary to free both the city and State from hampering conditions which check progress.

An Assistant Attorney-General, named Figg, informs us that high prices are due to lessened production and reckless extravagance. This answers a moot question, yet before dismissing the subject finally may we not hear from an Assistant Attorney-General, named Prune?

## AN EIGHTEENTH AMENDMENT EXHIBIT.

Probably the invasion of Iron County, Mich., is a sample of the sort of thing we may expect in indefinite repetition under the eighteenth amendment.

Michigan has for two years been a prohibition state, with an admirable machinery of enforcement, supplemented by a state constabulary or ranger force, which has had remarkable success in compelling obedience to the law, barring sporadic and unimportant instances outside of the large cities. But at last reports a band of strangers whose number is placed at 30 and who are armed to the teeth, were preparing a formidable descent on Iron County to give an aid in enforcement for which the State had not asked, in a matter, indeed, which its own officials seemingly regarded as trifling.

These armed men are not citizens of Michigan. They are not Federal Marshals or Deputy Marshals. They have no place in the usual organization for enforcing Federal laws in the United States judicial district to which Iron County belongs. They are not even secret service men, with whom the public has some familiarity. They are recruited and led by a certain A. V. Dalrymple of Chicago, described as "Federal Prohibition Director" in a group of six states.

Under the eighteenth amendment, apparently, the state is no longer the unit. Ours is not a league of states, but merely a league of Federal prohibition districts. Refused a warrant by the Federal Court Commissioner at Marquette for the arrest of certain Iron County citizens and officials, Mr. Dalrymple announced that he would make the arrests without warrants.

And the frivolous cause of the whole spectacular exhibit of officiousness was that a satellite of Mr. Dalrymple, appearing in Iron County with no credentials attesting to his weighty functions, was refused full recognition by county officials as responsible for enforcement of the State prohibition law, as the invaders are for enforcement of the Federal prohibition law. In view of the frequency with which pretended prohibition officers practice blackmail on the unwary, was it or was it not a reasonable precaution?

Current dispatches describe a reign of terror in Iron County, with citizens hiding their scanty store of "private stock," their elderberry wine and other homemade products and hanging out sheets as flags of truce to conciliate the belligerent invaders. It is our first illustration of possible workings of the eighteenth amendment.

They have discovered a man in Michigan who did not get any money from Commodore Newberry's campaign managers. This is proof of our optimistic contention that there's a white sheep in every flock.

## THAT OLD RELIABLE LIFE-PRESERVER.



—Brooklyn Eagle.



IT WAS REPORTED THAT SOMEONE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN HAD SOME HOMEMADE WINE.

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH  
by Clark McAdams.

## PANETELA.

YES, Luella, Propaganda is the peril of our time. It may well become the burden of our melancholy rhyme. Since we learned The trick Of spreading Propaganda From the huns. It has come To be a weapon Far more powerful Than guns.

Once we sort Of had a notion What was true And what was not; Movements started To decide us Then were speedily Forgotten. Here had not Got together Then to put Their stuff across. And the truth, Though sometimes Hiding, Suffered might Little loss.

Nowadays, My little girlie, That is not The case at all; Any sort Of misconception Needs but hire itself a hall. There the knowing Propagandist Fills us freely With his bunk. And we all Lament the level To which worthy Things have sunk.

Formerly A world of causes, Most of which Were doubtless bad, Perished quietly For knowing Nothing of The present fad. Never having Seen the Germans Get their Sophistry about, All they did Was lift their voices And go softly Down and out.

Nothing like that, Now, Luella— Any cause Can make its way; All it needs Is propaganda In the fashion Of the day. Liars have been Sadly knowing Not enough Of what all Of us know lately— How to propagate Our stuff.

## UNCLE DUDLEY'S OPINION.

Dere Sur: I Over heard my uncle Dudley havin a Confab with a Nuther man las nite an I thot ide rite an ast yue if what he sed wuz True. He sed thair wuz a Lot ov Amerikans over here who wuz Rarin bak on their Hind legs An hee havin thair heads off becuz the Skool bords are startin to hav Histroy tot in the Little red Skool houses insted ov Pilekshun. He sed thar for about a Hundred Years a Guy called Sinister Infloence had writ our Skool Histries an while he hadn't Told all the Truth, he had told sum ov it an while he hadn't told all the Untruths he could hav told, he had done Very well considerin he had only bin Practisin since the Revolution. My Uncle Dudley sez these Amerikans want us to go to War with England not becuz England is doing Anythin to us but becuz she aint. They think that a Hundred Years ov Peace is a good Ekuse to start Sunthin. He sez they would Like to see England Broke wuz sum brome figgers on the Shore with Tommy Hawks in thair hands. He sez the first few years wuz mitey Tuff sladdin, but they stuck it out an founded this great Country the Lots ov them lost thair Skips an never did get them back. He sez that while sum ov his Ann Sesters wuz leavin Bloody tracks around Valley Forge, sum ov these hee hawin Amerikans Ann Sesters wuz tryin to collect the Tax on tea. Old George Three Eyes had a hard Time to get any ov the English to come over here an fight thair Relations so he had to Hire an Army in Europe to do it. He only paid them about 13 sense a Day but Uncle Dudley sez 13 sense would buy a lot ov Pretzels in those days. At that it seems old George got Stung considerin what Little they did for the Money.

Uncle Dudley is gettin all het up an I am expectin to hear Somethin drop. If I do I will let you no. He nearly Cussed las nite. He sed Darned if he wuznt gettin tired ov being Called a Red Coat by Amerikans whose Ann Sesters are Still on the East side of the Atlantic ocean. Yures truly UNCLE DUDLEYS NEFFEW.

A sign in Cottondale, Fla., showing considerable versatility in business:

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A man in Boston tries to answer one of our panetelas, but whatever else Boston is, she is not up to one of those penetrating shafts of thought.

## The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

## SOLVING LANGUAGE PROBLEM.

GEORGE VELDMAN in the Christian Herald. IN Grand Rapids, Mich., there are 35 churches of the Reformed and Christian Reformed denominations. In at least 29 of these churches some of the services have been conducted in the Holland language since organization, but the recent changes have been so numerous that measures had to be taken to forestall any possibility of depriving the church members and old standbys of religious services that they could understand.

The plan that has been adopted by several of the larger churches and which will be followed by many others this year, provides for four services every Lord's day: the morning worship in the Holland language at 9 o'clock, followed immediately by the English service and Sunday school; the afternoon service in the Holland language and the evening service in English. The calls for the services of an assistant pastor who also aids in the catechetical instruction and house visitation.

It is expected that within a few years the Holland services will be no longer necessary, except in a few isolated cases for the benefit of those older members who have not been able to acquire a knowledge of English adequate to the needs of public worship.

## THE MARTENS INVESTIGATION.

WILLIAM HARD in the New Republic. LEON TROTSKY'S Red Army has brought it about that Washington begins to perceive that life on this planet has got to be lived with a Communist country in it. The representatives of that country, when they wish to deposit money in a Washington bank, are greeted with just as much hospitality as the representatives of any other country. The people who bet on Kolchak and Denikin and Yudenitch are losers. The State Department is a loser.

Washington, in some senatorial parts of it, begins to perceive that Mr. Martens and Mr. Nuer-teva are representatives of a great governmental policy concerning to which the British propose to send goods for gold and to which our State Department and our Department of Justice propose to send the deported body of Mr. Martens for nothing.

They make me think of chapter two in a work on the history of American diplomacy by Mr. Lansing's father-in-law, John W. Foster, out of which I remember that in 1781 and 1782 and 1783 there was a certain representative of our new-born revolutionary United States of America—one Francis Dana, subsequently Chief Justice of the State of Massachusetts—who insisted in residing in St. Petersburg while he vainly, and "with nothing but his million," sought recognition for our novel republican democratic Government from a scandalized and anti-revolutionary Russian court. Nay the Russians have sent us a neatly written little sequel entitled, "A Martens for a Dana."

## BRYAN AND PROHIBITION.

From the New York World. MR. BRYAN, as he says, will be at the Democratic national convention next June in San Francisco, "whether a delegate or not," and will take upon himself the duty of acting as the spokesman on prohibition. Before his appearance there can he deny that it will be best to clear up the record? The Anti-Saloon League moves in a mysterious way and as one of its traveling exhorters he must see the necessity of making known precisely the character of his services, paid and unpaid.

In his own behalf The World cannot but renew its invitation to Mr. Bryan to tell what percentage of his annual income is derived from the Anti-Saloon League, what are its total contributions to his income and what services he renders in return. Why dodge answering as pertinent a question or seek to confuse the real issue?



# The Tragedy of a Night

By E. Phillips Oppenheim,  
Author of "The Great Impersonation."

CHAPTER II (Continued). she answered slowly. "Nothing

*By Helen Rowland.*

VERILY, verily, my Daughter,  
three things I trust not—say,  
four I find too much for me.  
A Oulja board—and a man we  
would travel to Mars upon a rocket.  
The voice of a milliner, who saith  
"Oh, how becoming!"  
And the words of a man who  
promiseth "Eternal Love."  
Lo, the Young Idealist cryeth:  
"Behold, my dream, and the Per-  
fect Woman of my dreams, I mean  
would I cease from striving and  
forever and ever!"  
But I smile behind my fan and  
answer him, saying:  
"Yea, verily, my son, I KNOW the  
Ideal whom thou seekest.  
"Even a damsel who is both daz-

"Chic—and economical."  
"Brilliant—and yet unsophisticated—good—and yet interesting; fascinating—and yet hath never been his equal."  
"One, who will cause thy vanity to be puffed up, when she walketh amongst men, making them to turn their heads, and cry 'Behold! a person!' One, who will be crowned with a shawl at home, and watch thee read the newspaper, six evenings of the week."  
"One who will go forth upon the Highway looking like a breath from Heaven, and cheerfully make over her frocks and trim her own hats."  
"One who will cater to thy distraction—and also adorn thy drawing room."  
"One, who will be cold and haughty toward all others—yet who will run at thy whistle, tremble at thy frown and eat out of thine hand!"

Even, a PEN  
balls and a CIRC; an ornament and  
a scabbard utensil; a halo and a foot-  
stool."  
"And, having found this PAR-  
AGON, thou wilt love her sufficiently  
to feed and clothe and pet her,  
and she will flatter thee and con-  
doleth NOT wait u-upon thy nerves."  
"So long as she keepeth her figure  
and her dignity—and never causeth  
thee to blush."  
"If she never boreth thee  
nor nageth thee nor expresth her  
REAL opinion of thee."  
"So long as she tickleth thy vani-  
ty—and doth not tread upon thine  
honour—proper."

"Talk not unto ME of  
the Perfect Woman, and man's Eter-  
nal Love!"

"For the one is a Paradox—and the other is a Dream.  
"And neither existeth, save in a man's imagination.  
"But a wise man will be content to find a dame! who is kissable and cheerful and loyal. For no more can any man ASK!  
"And an honest man will promise to love her, so long as he findeth her lovable.  
"For no more can ANY man promise!"  
SELAH.

HOME ECONOMICS  
By Mrs. Elizabeth Kent.

**E**VERY woman who possesses even one piece of pottery with the willow pattern will be interested in the history of its manufacture.

The history of Coalport takes us back to Shropshire upon the banks of the Severn where the pottery was established about 1754 and where it still exists. The white clay of these

ill exists. The white clay of these banks which is used in this pottery was used by the Romans to make their pottery. The earliest works were built at Caughley and the pat-



erns were blue flowers upon a white ground, samples of which possess great excellence. The celebrated willow pattern was produced in 1780, and was very soon copied by other manufacturers. It was taken from a Chinese model, and is still one of the most struck nations. The Blue Drag-

There was also a favorite pattern. The secret of the manufacture was in the possession of Thomas Turner and his sister, and it seems a fitting tribute that the early manufacture of the pottery should have been in the hands of a woman. When Turner and his brother-in-law, John Rose, who had learned the art of pottery from him and who had himself formed a manufacturing company, established his works at Cosport. In 1819, the Society of Arts for his "Faldespar" porcelain with their date Cosport ranks among their great chinas.

The earliest make was a half moon, but not all specimens were marked. The half moon later became a "C" and a "G" and was used for Coughley. Other markings were the words "Salopian" and "Cosport."

Among its beautiful patterns are to be found the "Chantilly Sprig," the "Warm Sprig," the "Tournay Sprig" and the "Broseley Dragon." The reproductions of the Magazine Blue are equal to the Derby in tone, and the copies of the Turquoise Blue and the Rose-Au-Barri ground colors of the old Sevres china are excellent.

"The proofs," she said slowly, "may seem convincing. I do not name the Courts for admitting men, or you for taking the title. But, for myself, I am a woman, and must have something to live for. I am going on hoping. What else can I do? I can make others happy," she said; his voice thick with emotion. "Happiness for yourself lies that way. It is useless to nurse a dead sorrow. Geoffrey is dead, poor chap, but I believe me, Helen, I am sorry. But there is the future." "I shall live on—and hope," she murmured.

"Helen! when you say that," he

CHAPTER III.

THERE was a time when the man had clung to life—but that time had gone by. It was for death now that he prayed for forgetfulness, for oblivion. Of time he

man, you know, and I am hard to convince. Facts count for little with me against consciousness! I feel that Geoffrrey is alive—I refuse to believe him dead. He may never come back to me, but I shall wait for him—*at home!*"

"His clothes! They were his! His lor has proved it."  
"He may have lent them—or they ay have been stolen."  
"His silence!"  
"He is in a country as silent as the "

“You mean that you will never listen to me—that you will persist in this miserable folly throughout your life and mine. You will neglect both for a whim—a superstition.”

man repeated slowly. "That is certain enough already. Yet tell me this. What further proof will satisfy you?"

"The sight of his body, or speech with one who has actually seen it,"

(To Be Continued.)

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## MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.



## THE REFORM OF PETER PLUNKITT.

Pete Plunkitt was the Bolshevik of Hickville Public School; He said that lessons made him sick; He wouldn't mind a rule. He wouldn't study or recite. He'd sit all day and slack; He dearly loved to row and fight And sass the teacher back.

Whenever trouble raised its head The teacher always knew Pete Plunkitt was the lad that led The mischief-making crew. When little boys with blackened eyes To her complaining came, She heard, without the least surprise, That Peter was to blame.

But when to him she pointed out The error of his course, He only wore an ugly pout Nor showed the least remorse. Kind counsel did not help, because Misconduct gave him joy; You've guessed perhaps that Peter was A very naughty boy.

And so one day she took a stick And with indignant might She beat the little Bolshevik Until he saw a light. He whimpered to his seat with his Well-say his feelings—sore And little Peter Plunkitt is A Bolshevik no more.



## Bearing Up Bravely.

It was a crisp Saturday evening, and the senior class of a certain social settlement was giving its annual ball, the prohibition law being in full force, and no "private stores" allowed. The senior class, it may be remarked in passing, is composed of men, not boys. O'Flaherty, its president, stood by the side of the head worker and regarded the ballroom. "Mr. Taylor," asked O'Flaherty, "heavens had to throw anyman out?" "Not one," said the head worker with pardonable pride. O'Flaherty looked serious. "Heavens found anyman asleep downstairs?" "No, no one. Everything is going finely, O'Flaherty." O'Flaherty grew sad. Then hopefully, "Anny fights?" "Not a fight," was the answer; "no trouble of any kind." "What was that cop doin' in here?" "Just a friendly call to see the ball and wish us well for 1920." O'Flaherty heaved a profound sigh. "Well," he said nobly, "I suppose it's all for the best."—New York Evening Sun

## Relaxation.

"You're getting the reputation of being the prize grouch of Crimmon Gulch!" exclaimed Three-Finger Sam. "I know it," answered the ex-bartender. "The boys don't understand. For years they had me nailed where I had to laugh at their jokes or lose their custom. I'm enjoyin' a long, blissful holiday."—Washington Star.

## All Over.

Hearing a crash of glassware one morning, Mrs. Blank called to her maid in the adjoining room, "Norah, what on earth are you doing?" "I'm doin' nothin', m'm," replied Norah; "It's done."—London Opinion.

## Merely a Reminder.

"Five years ago you promised to buy me a car," said Mrs. Gadspur. "So I did, my dear," replied Mr. Gadspur, as he flicked the ashes from a 25-cent cigar. "And I intend—ahem—to keep my promise." "I don't wish to hurry you, but

WELL, IF I DO SAY IT MYSELF, I'VE GOT THE GREATEST BOY IN THE WORLD!



WHEN HIS SON IS ONE YEAR OLD.

I'LL ADMIT THAT MY BOY IS A LITTLE DESTRUCTIVE—BUT HE'S CERTAINLY A WONDERFUL KID.



WHEN HIS SON IS FIVE YEARS OLD.

THE BOY SEEMS TO BE A BIT BACKWARD IN SCHOOL, BUT I WAS THAT WAY MYSELF. HE'LL COME OUT ALL RIGHT.



WHEN HIS SON IS FIFTEEN YEARS OLD.

FAR BE IT FROM ME TO BE TOO HARD ON THE BOY—BUT I WISH HE'D STAY HOME A LITTLE MORE AT NIGHT.



WHEN HIS SON IS EIGHTEEN YEARS OLD.

I WONDER WHAT THAT BOY OF MINE DOES WITH ALL THE MONEY I GIVE HIM.



WHEN HIS SON IS TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OLD.

MY BOY IS A GOOD-FOR-NOTHING BUM!



WHEN HIS SON IS OVER TWENTY-FIVE.

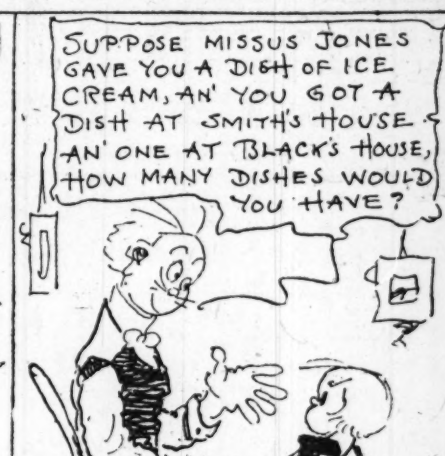
## "SAY, POP!"—STIRRING THE MIND SEEMS TO STIR THE APPETITE AS WELL.—By C. M. PAYNE.



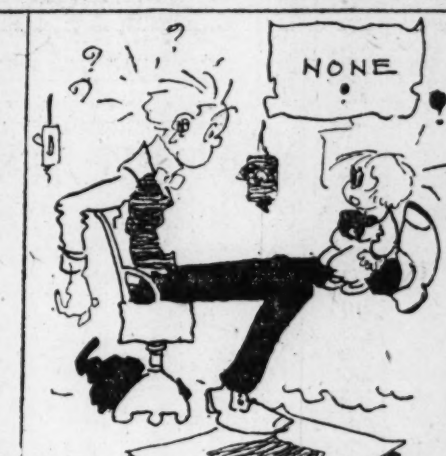
UH-HUH, UH-HUH, YESS-SS.



I TELL YA, MAW, YA HAVE TO STIR THEIR LITTLE MINDS WITH SOMETHING THAT EXCITES THEIR INTEREST. NOW I'M GONNA GIVE HIM HIS FIRST LESSON IN ARITHMETIC.



SUPPOSE MISSUS JONES GAVE YOU A DISH OF ICE CREAM, AN' YOU GOT A DISH AT SMITH'S HOUSE, AN' ONE AT BLACK'S HOUSE, HOW MANY DISHES WOULD YOU HAVE?



NONE.



H-M-M-M, I SURE THOUGHT HE WAS SMARTER THAN THAT.



THEY WOULD BE ALL EET UP.

## IT SOUNDS PLAUSIBLE THE WAY MUTT TELLS IT.—By BUD FISHER.



SAY MUTT DID YOU READ THAT STORY ABOUT THE PAST LIFE OF THOMAS EDISON IN THE PAPERS LAST NIGHT? HE CERTAINLY IS A WONDER.



YES, THEY CALLED HIM THE "ELECTRICAL WIZARD." WHY DON'T THEY GIVE SOME CREDIT TO OLD NOAH?



NO, I HAVEN'T! I CAN PROVE THAT OLD NOAH INVENTED A WAY TO USE ELECTRICITY BEFORE TOM EDISON WAS EVER HEARD OF!



DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH, MUTT.



WHEN HE STARTED TO BUILD THE ARK A LOT OF PEOPLE WANTED HIM TO MAKE IT OF STEEL BUT NOAH SAID NO!



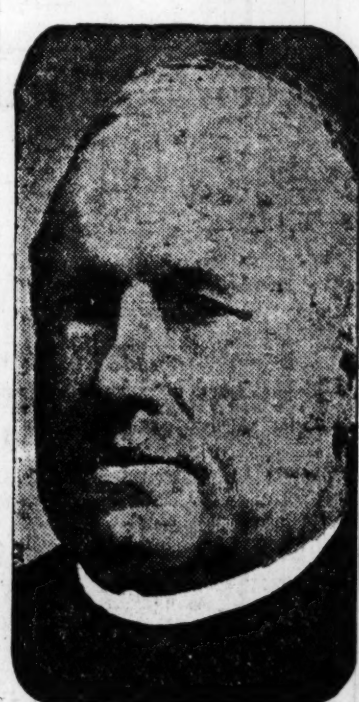
WELL, HE USED WOOD INSTEAD AND MADE THE "ARK LIGHT" GET IT?

## A Truck Driver Splashed the Powerful Katrinka's New Suit All Over With Mud.—By Fox.



AND WHAT DID SHE DO BUT THROW AN ASH CAN FULL OF GARBAGE AT HIM AND WAS ALL SET TO THROW ANOTHER IF THEY HAD LET HER ALONE.

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